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rary agrommodation for the Questions :--Fire Brigade, in cenx Rand Central, has been sold ito Mr. David, shead of Messrst, S. J. David and Co., the "China.

Maril" learns. This building is, of course, part lof the estate of the late Mr. M. J. D. Stephens, who practised b as a solicitor in Hengkong for lmany years and acquired many valuable lets by his keen foresight. It was only completed a flew flor private enterprise. The open-

of will be recalled that Messrs. Deacons, the local legal firm, relivate treaty, wlong list of Mong-Kong properties, which belonged

to the inte Mr. Stephens' estable. The "Chind Mail" is informed low the best muthority theet whole lot is anticipated to fetch, lover \$5,000,000.

To dute, a number of lots have is always readily available. been sold to the total value of Inearty a million and three quar-Iter dollars-\$1,719,200 to be precise. The properties disposed loft for this summare:

"Stephens" Buildings. 9,200 somewheet. Nos. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 35, 37a, 37b, 38, 38a, 39 and 40. Commught Road Central. (This means that all the Connaught Road property owned by the estate has been sold excepting three houses, viz., Nos. 21, 22;

and 23.) [Messes, A. S. Watson and Co.,] ttd., are stated to have become the owners of the four houses hitherto Questions:-loccupied by their aerated water town office, compradore department, etc. along the waterfront. just beyond the Pottinger Street

junction.] No. 9, Shelley Street.

No. 91 Mountain View, the Nos. 147 and 149, Shanghai

Street (how numbered 255 and 257), Yaumati. Nos. 132; 134° and 136, .. Reclamation Street, Yaumati.

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Street (now numbered 429, 441) and 443); Mongkoktsui, Nos. 533, 533, 535, 537, 557, 559, 561, 563, 647, 649, and 651! Shanghai Street (these are

"new" numbers) Mongkoktsui. For stated reasons, the detailed prices have not been divulged as In this connection, a vernacular report says that four 'large shop buildings" at the corner of Pottinger Street - were sold for \$400:000.

. This report expresses the opinion that the Hongkong property market is showing signs of improvement. In the central disriets, it adds, it is now possible to obtain mortgages up to 80 per cent, of the values current in 1924. interest at 12 to 14.4 per scent. per annum

FIRE BRIGADE.

QUESTIONS AT COUNCIL MEETING.

GOVERNMENT'S REPLY

At the meeting of the Legislative Council this afternoon; Showroom: 21, Wellington St. the following questions were asked in the name of Hon. Mr. P. H. Answers:-Holyoak:

Questions:--

(1) What steps are being taken to Colony?

(2) Will the Government appoint a ernor gave an assurance. Committee of Enquiry into these matters?"

The Government has decided to appoint a Committee to consider and report on measures for improving the fire fighting organisation in the Colony.

a Chinese working for the Naval Bernard was sworn in as a member he was getting away with the pro-Ordinance Department was injured in the absence of the Hon. Mr. P. H. | perty was stated in evidence and and sent to the Government Civil Holyoak and put the questions he was sentenced to six weeks MANAGEMAN HOSpital yesterday.

NEW TERRITORIES.

QUESTION OF DEVELOPMENT OF FOOD SUPPLIES.

GINGER INDUSTRY.

At this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council the following questions were asked on behalf of the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyonk: What steps are being taken .

(a) to foster and develop the cultivation of poultry, vegetables, and food supplies in

the New Territories? (b) to assist the cultivation and growth of ginger root and floster the ginger industry in the New Territories?"

These are essentially matters ing of the New Territories by Govfernment roads and railways has afforded facilities of which advan-Cently advertised for safe by pvi- tage is being taken: The advicelof the Supt. Botanical Boxestry Department and of the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, and

the sympathetic assistance of the Government through the Secretary for Chinese Affairs and the District Officers, North and South

REPULSE BAY.

request for commutee of ENQUIRY

this afternoon's meeting of the forgery. hegislative Council:-

Repulse Bay, namely! --

(a) The feasibility of providing better bathing accommoda-

the area of the beach which rean be Bathedt from by the western end of the Bay.

tek The provision of the proper 'sanitary conveniences Those resorting to Repulse

(d) The regular removed by scavenging coolies of rubbish Kim-lui's, departure at which it was and refuse and tins from the arranged that Chan Sam should houses and beach.

(e) The regular inspection by a

public health. (f) The cutting and keeping cut; and the removal of all rubbish and refuse and tins from, the long grass and arrest. other undergrowth below the Hotel Garage, and in such other places as are recom-

mended by the above Commit-(g) Generally, the making of such recommendations as may tend to improve the bathing and public health conditions at Repulse Bay and to check the breeding of

flies and mosquitoes. (2) Will the Government also empower the above Committee to consider and report upon the feasibility of inaugurating a new public bathing beach in the neighbourhood of Stanley?

The reply to these questions is not yet ready.

improve the Fire Brigade fire expediency would be exerfighting appliances and water cised in regard to a reply in pressure—in the mains of the view of the near approach of the bathing season and H.E. the Gov-

MR. BERNARD.

TAKES HIS SEAT ON COUNCIL."

At the Legislative Council meet-Falling from a wall ten feet high, ing this afternoon, Mr. D. G. M. standing in his name.

TEN DAYS?

ESTABLISHD

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LENGTHY WING ON BANK

OF ENING ADDRESS.

The initial proceedings in, the morning and the first lare of the evidence was called. The whole to the weather, As a matter case is expected to last ten days or fact, the refreshments for

a fortnight. F. C. Jenkin referred to an numerite completed, when one of flourid on the premises of Au Kim- "Mail" reporters was informed of lui referring to the raising of money I the postponement. for the purpose of putting it in tothe Wing On Bank and to letters preceding year are officially diswritten by An Kim-hip admitting [tributed at the annual inspection.

the deposit book on April 25. Referring to the two counts under which Au Kim-lui was charged with perjuny. Mr. Jenkin said that the sworn statement of Au in amorection with an attempt to make the Wing On Bank pay by means of a civil action that the Wing. Of Eauli was indebted to him for the amount of \$50,000 was wholly untrue and Au knew it to be false because he knew that the book under which he claimed it was forged and that the money had already been with-

Au hade made another sworn statement in which he said that he had in his possession a deposit book issued by the defendants, the only inderence being that it was genuine one. This also was false said Mr. Jenkin, because An knew that the book was not the original deposit book but that book altered in that it had a false label. If you tamper with a document, said Mr. Mon. Siv. Fr. E. Pollock, K.C. Lenkin, by removing part of it, it asked the following questions at list not the same document but a

The statement made at the magisbracy by Chan Sam was also the subject of reference by counsel (I) Will the Government appoint a Im this. Chan had stated that he Committee for the purpose of had been informed by the two pris considering and reporting to soners and the third who had this Council on the following absconded of "the ramp" they inquestions in connection with tended to work on the Wing On Company by means of the forgeries

This statement, claimed counse was strengthened by the fact tha Chan Sam was the man whom it (b) The feasibility of enlarging had been decided should look after the affairs of the alleged conspirators in their civil action with the removal of rocks from the Wong On Bank whilst Au Kim-lui. was absent in Peking on one occasion. Mr. Hugh Jones, for Wilkinson and Grist, would speak at a later stage of an interview which took place in their offices between the three parties prior to At

take over in his absence. The other two parties: the pre-Sanitary Inspector of the sent second prisoner and the man septic tanks and drainage who had absconded did not wish and other outlets, for the to be publicly associated, said counpurpose of ensuring that the sel with a case which in the event . same are working effectively of trouble they would easily have

and without danger to the been identified with if they had ed criminals on December 29, 1924, morning was that of Detective Sub- to imprisonment with hard labour

> At yesterday afternoon's hearing of the case, a reading lamp, together with a cardboard screen, Lcc.-Sgt. (C345) Shek Tui; P. C. were placed in front of the jury by Mr. Jenkin so that when the various deposit books and other exhibits in the case were held in front of the light, counsel had the opportunity of demonstrating

> his various points. The alleged forgery of the chop i his possession, cleverly concealed and labels were dealt with and inside wooden clogs two automatic counsel pointed out what he pistols, one revolver and ammunialleged were differences in parts tion for same. This man was senof the chops alleged to have been tenced to five years' hard labour forged and the others stamped on P. C. (C252). In Muk. the books by the Wing On Musketry and Revolver Prizes. Company.

Sir Henry Pollock asked that CAUGHT REDHANDED

THEFT FROM "EMPRESS" BOAT.

BAKER CONVICTED.

A Chinese employed as a baker on the s.s. "Empress of Asia" was charged at the Central , Magistracy this morning with the theft of certain articles of bedding from the cabin of Mr. C. Rimmer, second

mate of the yessel. The arrest of the accused while hard labour.

"FOR VALOUR."

POLICE AWARDS WON IN YEAR 1925.

MEDALS' PRIZES, ETC.

As announced in Tuesday's alleged conspiracy on the Wing On "China Mail," the annual inspec-Bank case having occupied a day tion of the Hongkong Police by and a half, Mr. F. C. Jenkin con- H. E. the Governor, has been eluded his opening of frees this postponed till next Wednesday.

This change is of course, due subsequent entertainment wer In his concluding regardes. Air, being hild out and arrangements

. The awards gained during the that he in person had attended with This year's list comprises:-Police Medals.

King's Police Medal: -- Asst. Supt. of Police, Mr. W. G. Gerrard. for prolonged service distinguished by very exceptional ability and

services rendered during the General Strike 1925: 2nd "class, Chief Det. Inspector J. Grant; 3rd class; Det. Inspector Chu Heung: 4th class, Lee.-Syt. (3: 126) Whan Mohamed, Lce.-Sgt. (C 303) Kwong Yi, Lee.-Sgt. (C 296) Wong Sc. P. C. (C 14) Wong Yung-shing.

.4th class:-P. C. (D. 193) Miao Pao-tsai, for courage and resource in effecting the arrest of one Mok Chuen-chung, who was charged with the murder of P. C. (B 411) Abdul Khalik at No. 3 railway bridge, Hunghom, on May 19, 1925. and sentenced to death at the August Sessions 1925.

Governor's Commendation. For conspicuous and valuable

services rendered during the General Strike 1925 :-- Chief Inspector Kent: Det. Inspector W. Pincott: Inspector E. Bond; Lee. Sgt. (A51). Nolloth; Mr. Ng Ping-u (interpreter, detective office) f.P. C (C556) Man Pong.

arduous duties under very trying conditions whilst in charge Indian, guards during the Geneva Strike 1925 :- Sub-Inspector Brennana For the excellent work they did in the reputriation of refugees at the time of the Yunnanese deback

For the admirable way in which

he performed responsible

in Canton in June, 1925:-Sgt. (A24) A. H. Elston; Lee:-Sgt. (A85) B. Thorpe. For excellent work on the occasion of the Po Hing Fong collapse on July 16, 1925 and during the

subsequent period:-Sgt. (A114) P. J. Condon. sisting P. C. (D193) Miao Pao-tsai-(who receives a 4th class medal): -Lee.-Sgt. (A119) McFadgean; W. W. Yen as head of the govern-

P. C. (D265) Liu Hong-kun.

For meritorious work in breaking up a dangerous gang of armat No. 122, Woosung Street. Three The only evidence called this men were convicted and sentenced Inspector Fallon who made the and five were banished :- Lce.-Sgt. (A98) Tyler; P. C. (C540) Ip Chak; Det. Sgt. (C180) Wong Lau (now Principal Chinese Detective); (C551) Man Wan; P. C. (C264) Wong Kwan; P. C. (C216) Leung

> Sai-chuen. For zeal and intelligence displayed in effecting the arrest of a Chinese in Des Yœux Road Central on November 12, 1925, who had in

Musketry:

tor Booker (cup). (B268) Jagor Singh.

Europeans: won by Sub-Inspec-

Weihaiwei contingent: 1st (\$15) Lce.-Sgt. (D122) Yang Fu- \$50, or four weeks hard labour, and shung; 2nd (\$10) P. C. (D294) the weapons were confiscated. Cheng Chi-shan. Revolver:--Sir R. E. Stubbs's Cup: won by

ture of original cup). Championship Cup: won by Asst. Supt. of Police, Mr. W. R. Scott (absent); 2nd Sub-

Inspector Booker. Handicap competition: 1st Sergt. (A116) Ritchle; 2nd Mr. W. R.

Scott. Chinese Championship :: 1st (\$20) Lce-Sgt. (C896) Chui Pingnam; 2nd (\$10) P. C. (D280) Wel Kuel-lin.

KARAKHAN TO GO.

CHANG TSO-LIN'S GRAVE WARNING.

DRAMATIC EXPOSURE.

(Reuter's Service.)

Shanghai, April 22,

Mukden korespondent pubishes a report that Chang Tsoin has requested the Soviet Consul-General here to warn the Moscow Government of the necessity of replacing M. Karakhan, the Soviet Ambassador, Peking, on the ground that "since his arrival" in China he has employed bribery to cause student riots and assisted Feng Yu-hainng with arms in order to create internal strife in China, which actions constituted a misuse of his Ambassadorial position and a violation of inter-

national usages." The Consul-General was further informed that when Peking was occupied by the allied troops M. Karakhan no longer would be For conspicuous and valuable considered entitled to the protection of international law.

PROTECTION OF FOREIGNERS IN PEKING.

(Reuter's Service.)

ELIMINATING BOLSHEVISM

Peking, April 22;

The Superintendent of Police visited the Senior Minister to-day and gave an assurance that, although Tuan Chi-jui's Government had suddenly been dissolved, the Police authorities would take all necessary measures to protect

foreign life and property. It is reported from Hankow that Wu Pei-fug at a conference of his lieutenants, expressed the opinion that Bolshevist influence in China should be eliminated and that the Tariff Conference should proceed in compliance with the people's wills

W. W. Yen As Premier.

Peking, April 22. The present arrangements are that Tsao Kun will be restored to the Presidency, after which he wil issue a mandate rescinding his

was due to force majeure. This procedure will reinstate as Premier W. W. Yen, who thereupon For initiative and energy in as- | will fill the vacancies in the former

resignation on the grounds that it

Tsao Kun will then hand over to ing Cabinet.

PASSING THROUGH.

CHINESE FOUND WITH DAGGERS.

FINES IMPOSED.

Defending two Chinese young men charged at the Central Magistracy this morning with unlawful possession of three daggers. Mr. C. A. S. Russ tendered a plea of guilty and pointed out that the daggers (or knives) were in common use in Java for peeling fruit and opening coconuts. He said the men were labourers returning from Java and passing through here on their way to Foochow. He asked for a small penalty as there had

been no unlawful intent. To a question by the Magistrate (Mr. R. E. Lindsell), Sergeant Indians: 1st (\$15) Corpl. (B321). Flaherty said the police had no rea-All Mohamed; 2nd (\$10) P. Col son to doubt that the men were merely passing through the Colony. Each of the accused was fined

Sub-Inspector Booker (minia- | "Er-excuse me, gentlemen, but I believe you have my theatre box.

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

LINEN TRADE.

Belfast Market Report.

March 178 "Flax.—The Irish markets have. been decidely smaller since the last report and selection will be very poor at the end of the present month, All the fibre marketed has been bought at unchanged prices.

Courtrai .- Demand is good for all classes of flax as Irish Spinners did not receive supplies for six weeks owing to the dispute. Contimental Spinners are also buying in fair quantities. There is practically no change in value, the tendency being against buyers.

Latvian -- After the recent huge CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in BANQUE FRANCO-CHINOISE buying, there has been a bull, but the Covernment are very firm now Int sharply advanced prices. They can only offer shipment-May to duly, so are in a strong position, Esthoniam-Supplies keep very

moderate and prices firm ' Season expected to last a little longer than Lithuanian-Dealers are still

and have refused further business on the same terms. Soviet .- Prices are very firmly maintained and further business

covering im against the recent sales

reported. Yarns .- A fair amount of business has been pub through during the past two weeks. Sales continue de to absorb the production and stocks are in moderate compass. Evices.

without quotable change. Meavers,-There, is a quiet steadly demand for various classes. of goods, and orders have been placed more freely than for some

. Mousekeeping goods including Damilaka have been the lending fenture of the market during the past fortnight: Moderate quanities of Dress Linens, have also been arranged. The improvement previously re-

ported isomaintained and prices are distinctly firmer. Merchants. There is no change simee our hest report. Orders continue to come along fairly freely

covering a greater variety Confidence in present prices is now fairly well establish-Dress Linens.—Conditions so far as Dress Linens are concerned re-

main unchanged. Some fair orders have been received for Coloured Linens from various markets. FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year Whites and Oysters have also sold

A BRIGHT SPOT.

Retail Trade Prospers.

London, February 27 .-- A bright spots in the British trade position Offers from the Continent have is disclosed in the unprecedented been fairly frequent at figures retail business prosperity. This is which could not be accepted specially noticeable among depart- Home trade demand has eased off mental astores, the last year's a little. balance sheets of which are now very dull and the prospect of appearing. Harrod's, Lmited, for increased production does not tend example, reports its gross "trade to improve the position as regards. profits for the first time, as ex- margins, generally speaking quotaceeding 22,000,000; with net profits tions for yarns are firm; notwithat 2700,000. The Selfridge Com- Istanding the setback in buying, Keelung. Bokoto, Nanto, Shin- pany, with £500,000 net profits, many suppliers are hopeful of re-Selfridge, describes as "by far the CHINA: Changhal, Hankow, Amoy, greatest we have ever been able OTHERS: - Hongkong, Singapore, to show." The returns published. Sperabaya, Semarang, Batavia, indicate that the Civili Service Sup-Bombay, London, New York, ply Associations had a record year, and the same applies to the Maple

Company, the famous furnishers. The British Industries Fairs in London and Birmingham are also doing well. The Birmingham sec-Control in the European Continent, Russia, Man-churis, Tsingtae, Japan, Inde-China, Sinm, India, tion claims to have already handled Philippine Islands, Java, Africa, &c. £2,000,000 worth of business; and the London section somewhat more.

Lord Bradbury, however, lately chief British representative upon the Chartered Accountants meeting here that an increasing proused for the purpose, which how- spectively, were paid, absorbing ever desirable in themselves. will \$52,424.75 thus leaving a balance not increase the future national of \$96,195.98 at the credit of Profit Garoupa income. Nevertheless, he was able and Loss Account which it is pro- Gudgeon to state also that building societies show satisfactory returns, con- per cent. (making 35 per cent. for Labrus Anthorised Capital \$60,000,000.00 sidering the industrial depression. the year) absorbing \$52,424.75; to Loach

What is declared to be the first Budget of the Soviet Union published in Russia shows the Estimate for 1924-1925 2,875,611,000 roubles. actual revenue 2,849,821,000

The Estimate for 1925-1926 3,778,687,000 roubles. stimated for 1925-26 are:-

Communications, 1.250,000.000 and Navy, 624,518,000 Army.

The financial year begins on



A suit for \$2,000,000; based on an alleged breach of contract involving a deal to obtain exclusive control of certain American exponts to Europe, has been filed against Hugo Stinnes, Jr. (son of the late industrial king of Germany), in the New York Federal

COTTON

Manchester Market Report.

Although cotton has been steady. here is no decided improvement in

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Kidneys 🖄

Liver #

Suet, Beef

Mutton

Sausages

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... Fresh Water 淡水魚

, Yellow

Herrings

Mackerel

Monk Fish

Mullet

Parrot Fish

Oysters

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Salmon

Shark

Shrimps property of the state of the

Turtles, small, fr. water

No. 1 ...

Sucking Pigs, to order. 99

Barbel

Bream

Carp

Catfish

Codfish

Cuttle Fish

the states of the market, generally speaking business has been on the quiet side. There are those who feel that the position does not justify buying yarn or cloth in anticipation of overseas requirements. on the other hand some makers are prepared to accept prices which must show a loss. With business of anything in the nature. of bulk such prices would of course have to be improved. The buying of light goods has tapered off and unfortunately, orders for other heavier styles are very meagre-There are odd lots of shirtings put forward at miserable limits. The greater part of the business done has been for India and Burmah Small lots of various goods are reported for China. A few orders have been placed for the Dutch East Indies, Singapore has bought Pig's C a little. Warp Satteens have been bought in moderate quantities for Egypt. The African outlets have quietened down a little. South America has been more or less active, chiefly for Chilf and Bolivia.

MENTAKAB RUBBER.

A Successful Company.

The following are extracts from the Directors' Report submitted to shareholders, at the Annual General meeting held on April 16 at

Singapore:-The accounts show a net profit for the period of \$135,134.70 after Dab the Reparations Commission, told making due provision for Directors" Fees and Depreciation. During Dog Fish 社 肚 the year two interim dividends of Eels, Conger portion of British savings are being 71/2 per cent. and 10 per cent. reposed to deal with as follows:-

transfer to Development Reserve Lobsters Account \$20,000.00; to carry forward to next Account \$23,771.23= \$96,195.98

During the year 118.28 acres were reclaimed, 86,15 acres being in the 1917 area and 32:13 acres in the 1919 area, 1.68 acres Rubber in Lallang have been added to waste land.

Tapping and Production.-Standard Production up to October 31, Principal items of expenditure was assessed at 812,207 lbs. but this was increased by revision of assessments to 837,857 lbs.

Pests and Diseases .- Pink Disease is the chief source of trouble Skate but is kept well in hand. Labour. There has been no Snapper

labour throughout the year and Tench The rouble may be reckoned at the Labour Force at present is Turbot

FOOCHOW TRADE.

Chamber of Commerce Figures.

Yarn imported since June 1 1925 amounts to 22,041 piculs. Kerosene, 3,030,940 gallons; flour 820,178 bags; paraffin wax 16,869

pleuls, "

Timber exported since June 1," 1925, compulses 27,965,648 sq. ft. Softwood planks: 2.758.248 sq. ft. Softwood poles; 508,671 kerosene oil cases and 947,631 cub. It. Hardwood planks.

C.P.R."

Ten Per Cent. Dividend Maintained

of the Canadian Pacific Railway a nett profit of 92,598 yen. The Company. Montreal, states that committee of management requestthe results of the operations of the ed the meeting to allow them to railway for the year ended Decem- present the staff with 21/2 months! ber 31 left a net revenue available salary each which was carried unfor dividends of \$25,216,259. After unimously. payment of all dividends declared | Of the nett profit of 02,593 yen, for the year, the surplus is \$3,010;- 10 per cent: was placed to reserve:

ing 4.592; shares.

total turnover of the bank for for the Victoria Naval yard and 1925 was 72,948,032 yen, being over Aberdeen, the differences being eighteen millions more than in the discounting of bills was 570,000 phenomena being ven less. Notwithstanding the difficulties in trade, the Bunk made

315. The dividend for 1925 re- A sum of 5,100 yen was voted to mains at 10 per cents the same as the Management as a special last year. The special income for bonus and it was decided to pay a the year, after making allowances dividend of 6 per cent. i.e., three for contingent reserves, is \$11, yen per share, each share being

JEWISH BANK.

A Dividend Declared The annual meeting of the Far

Eastern Jewish Bank of Commerce was held recently at Harbin, 85 of the total number of 92 shareholders being present, represent-

A cablegram from the secretary a gross profit of 267,676 yen and

HONGKONG TIDE.

The tide-table given below has been bbtained by aid of the Tideprodicting Machine, which includes: 40 components for the better prediction of tides, from the result of the analysis of the tidal observations, taken at the Kaulung tidal observatory under the direction of Dr. Doberck during the years 1887, 1888, and 1889,

The times and heights are given This: report showed, that the for Kaulung; but they may be used

The times of lifeh-and low-water 1924. Accounts current and bilis must not be considered to coincide showed a turn over of 12:1 million, with the times of slack-water and an improvement of 2.7 million; but change of current, the two

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KOWLOON AFFAIRS.

discussions by residents: ASSOCIATION.

BUSES AND FERRIES.

At an adjourned meeting of the K.R.A. Committee some further and Shiphuilders, enlargement of Central Magistracy, yesterday; Mr. progress was made with the bust whose premises is proceeding J. W. Fletcher an employee of the perature of the air and evapora- the new Salyingpun School (for ness in hand.

Colony, and It was clearly under- 579. now in the was to be superseded by hers were elected, 37 resigned a better installation in the course while 37 have been written off. thought that semething might be I death of the following members done in the meantime to secure throughout the years. Messrs. better results, even with the pre- D. A. Morris, J. W. Horano T. possible lines of enquiry were Petley. J. H. Ovberry, T. opened up, and a sub-committee Hening, W., Jones, G. H. S. Page, was appointed to pursue investiga- [E. Drury, J. Jacobson, D. Mason,

When the question of the bus ervice was put on the agenda it nixed stopping-places anapoxed by the K.R.A. and the use fines was mooted, and a report on

o Micethaux. The Secretary read the following limn have the books. Better from the Ster Ferry Com- ! anittieism:---

Tille Don, Secretary,

Kowloom

Wish reference, to the letters which have lately appeared in the " Press on the subject of the "Stag" Ferry Service, I am instructed by the Directors to say that they will ! always be glad to receive represenfutions from your Committee for far as practicable, the needs of the | delayed completion of all com-

community..... Yours faithfully.

(Signed) F. H. Crapnell

. Acting Secretary. There was also faid before the provements to the wharf on the which existed during the latter blongkeng side, made after con- half of the year. a sideration of the Committee's suggestions. The Company has resolved upon a more thoroughgoing reconstruction than the Committee had ventured to propose. It is now decided to extend the roof to cover the whole jetty, removing the lavatories to the far end. This will not only enlarge the first and second waiting-room but will permit of a new approach to the floating landing-stage for embarking paperngers and relieve congestion round the booking-office. The Bonsloig stage will be furnished with a slilinged gangway on both sides, for ascending and descending passengers. The Company has further decided to dispense with the little shop at the Fraya and oper haps providing a stall elsewhere for the convenience of travellers), The effrance of third class passengers will then be distinct from that of the first and second class, who will have a clear passage right down the centre of the wharf, except for a rail to divide the

unanimues approval. Street Noises.

streams; of incoming and outgoing

K.R.A. necepted the plan their

The Committee of the

when windows stand open to every ones must have their dittle plot nerves are sensitive to every harsh reserved for them. It is however," sound, the duty of suppressing all the ambition of the K.R.A. needless noises of the street be- obtain more public recreation being of the community. This hag always been recognised, and hawkers' cries are forbidden by law in the principal residential area of Kawloon; "It was therefore decided to request the Police to enforce the law with greater rigour.

Cycle Nuirance. The Committee desire to take this opportunity of thanking the Police and the Police Magistracy for thei effective handling of the bicycle nuisance, regarding waich the while ago, and which has, thanks to energetic measures and severe penalties, very much abated. It is transferred to Shanghal, it hoped that vigilance in this direct unanimously agreed to invite Mr. tion will be maintained.

ENGINEERS.

INSTITUTION'S ANNUAL REPORT.

THE YEAR'S ACTIVITIES

The unsatisfactory character of port which states, inter alia, that summoned for assaulting a Chin- dry and wet bulb thermograph, tors) was laid before the Legisla- ed yesterday, producing the best the Telephone Service in Kowloon the membership, including honor- ese boy and causing grievous and of the direction and velocity syns considered at some length. It may members, ordinary and asso; bodily harm. The charge arose of the wind with a Beckley and the Governor to-day. It read:synserenlised that there are places cinte members: sea-going and which are worse served than this visiting members now comprises a flower pot resting on a parapet modified as described in the re-

but it was generally The Institution regrets the toe. equipment, A number of Crombie, T. Neave, (Past.) T. tion along those lines, and report. | D. McKenzie, W. A. J. Cooper.

The Library.

was not known that a statement of Excellent additions to the viously seen the accused and dis- minimum thermometers. that the recommendations, made by fact that this department of the although no specific amount was (b) Temperature considerably them in 1924, regarding the type of usefulness of the Institution was mentioned, as the extent of the inmuchine wanted, were being follow- originally founded, and for some juries were not known at the timeedl. But it was regretted that other time maintained, solely by books Accused told him that he suffered of their recommendations had not presented by members, and he from insomnia and hearing a noise yet been put in force, and it was service makes his appeal for a more which disturbed him he threw the resolved to press for the provision hearty assistance in this direction. Hower pot downof season thekets available for Members may rest satisfied that This latter statement was denied

knowing that those in excess .. of he accidentially knocked it over Nathan Road to other thorough becausements have another sphere. This Worship said that it it had of usefulness in the Royall Navall been an accident the Maxistratois this subject was promised for next | dospital, where they are always | Clark should have been informed to remainely appreciated. So, let that effect. Accused was fined \$25

The Circulation, in common sation to the boy. many, which shows to what quanter with other assets of the. Colony. complaints should be addressed, as has felt the grip of bud times, well as the willingness of the Com- [heing 9,150] against 10,069 im prens to consider every usefull 1924, and it is hoped that more settled times in the near future . Monagkong., April 9., 1926. will have a beneficial effect on this, the Barograph of

Kow loon Residents" Association. Library's usefulness. The Flow Librarian desires tender and place on record his sincere thanks to those who carried on, in spite of everything, Juning his absence on leave.

Billiards. thin a service which will meet, as the latter part of the year having 4 p.m. on July 15...

> petitions. Balance Sheet.

The result of the year's working shows a net profit of \$4,084.69 against \$7,946,56 for 1924, which may be considered satisfactory in Committee a final plan of the im- view of the abnormal conditions

Annual Meeting. The annual meeting will be held the Institution buildings, or

Friday, April 30 at 6 p.m. The following Office Bearer: will be elected at the Annual General Meeting, viz.

President. Hon. Secretary. Vice-Presidents, (2), ... Hom. Treasurer. Hon. "Librarian.

In conclusion, the officers thank th members who unselfishly de voted their valuable time towards maintaining essential services on the premises during the period of the Strike when they were without their staff of servants.

Children's Playgrounds. By the Police, again, the Con-

mittee were favoured with a copy of the Rules and Regulations for children's playgrounds. One or two amendments were proposed. It was thought wise to limit the use of swings to young children only, say up to 18 years of ago, and to exclude dogs ultogether. With summer heat approaching. The area is so small that the wee ! breath of air and over-wrought kept clean and their swings, etc. nomen important for the well- ground, and cater for the growing youth and adults as well,"

Rents Ordinance. In view of the announcement in the "Gazetto" that the Rents Orpire on June 30 of this year and Leen invited to join, it was resolved to appoint a sub-committee to put together the "pros and cons" and prepare a statement which would assist the Committee to furn

New Committee Member. Colbourne Little, F.R.J., B.A., to (Confinued at foot of newt Column.) All the vacancy on the Committee. Road Shunghal

FLOWER POT FALL.

CHINESE BOY LOSES A TOE

EUROPEAN SUMMONED.

The Institution of Engineers | Before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the

and lost his big toe.

work be more than duplicated apprehension. " He denied that he

and andered to pay \$50 as commen-

act experienced at Hongkong, in April and moderately below. 9.40 a.m. During another typhoon, 1924 and 970.0 for the past 42 he Des Voeux Road portion of the which passed a little to the N.E. | years. The lowest temperature | pullding and painterwork has been | "Hangsang Reference is made in the re- and N. of Swatow on July 15, on was 39°.7 on February 1, as port to the visit of the famous a north-westerly tracks Hongkong against 47.95 in 1924 and 32".0 billiards player, H. J. Stephenson, experienced a squall at the rate of for the past 42 years. The mean the improvement of the service and and to the plucky defence of Mr. 65 miph at 7h. 7m. p.m., the temperature for April, 65°.2, was floors to Connaught Road, joiner-J. B. Hamilton in their game: highest recorded during the year; the lowest on record. passengers. They trust that with Five billiards handicaps are re- though the maximum wind The rainfall was considerably the kind co-operation of your Com- ported to have been in progress, velocity for one hour during this above normal in March, June, and mittee, they will be able to main- the abnormal conditions during storm was only 35 mapsh, at July and considerably below in apper floors.

AFTER MALARIA

Build Up Your Strength With DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PIELS As Mrs. S. W. Peters Did.

There are few diseases more weakenng than malarial fever. It is to the fact that they are an exceedingly nowerful blood and nerve tonic that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills owe their mmense popularity as a restorative As an example of the help they give take the case of Mrs. S. W. Poters a retired railway employed living at Myazigon Pagoda Road

twelve years, ago, a severe strack of malaria left me weak and un down," says Mrs. Poters. "I lost



Mrs. S. W. Peters, oured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

prescribed for me did me no good. It was the advice of friends, that led me hope to make this a record year. Y.M.C.A. in similar financial and to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and If there are any Englishmen who membership drives some 16 years !. then before long my uppetite returned have not yet joined the Society, ago. and so did my health and atrength. "After that' I had no further need for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills until about a year ago, when my health again broke down as the result of a very bad Englishman, - making himself Mr. Kwok Lam-shong and Mr. Sun attack of diarrhoea. I was again con- conspicuous-if there are a few Chi-hing, of the Wing On Co., Mr. fined to hed, had no inclination for food who have failed to get into touch Lam Woo, well-known contractor; dinance was to be allowed to ex- and boomno extremely thin and weaks Falling to benefit by the medicinen the agitation for its continued Williams Pink Pills, the medicina to at once. operation, in which the K.R.A. had which had cured me, on a previous occasion. The course was no sooner, commenced than I began to feel better, and my condition continued to improve grace will be a very notable per- Wah Hospital, Dr. T. R. Wu, a past Committee made representations a a right judgment di the question: over five-and-thirty years as a tonic remady for aliments due to impure at the Royal Observatory, Hong Wall tie. Rev. Wong Ol tong

OUR OBSERVATORY.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVA TIONS DURING 1925.

PRESSURE. TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL.

Automatic records of the temapace, has issued its annual re- Naval Armament Department, was tion were obtained with a Richard which Kin Lee & Co. are contracfrom a peculiar circumstance that a Dines-Baxendell Anemograph, at the house of the accused at No. port for 1912. The amount of stood that the antiquated system During the year, 81 new mem- 220, Wanchal Road, first floor, fell rain is recorded automatically by on the foot of the complainant, a Nakamura pluviograph and the necessitating amputation of the big amount of sunshine by two Campbell-Stokes, universal sun-Complainant stated in evidence shine recorders. Eye observations that he was engaged in demolishing of barometric pressure, temperaa cook-house at the back yard at ture of the air and of evaporation playground is completed and the the trophy at the first race ever 6 p.m. on March 24 when the flower and the amount of cloud are made paving of open playground has been rowed in Hongkong, he bought a pot dropped on his too and he fellmat each hour of Hongkong.

clouds are observed every, three Fittings to lavatories are being sailed for twice a year and man who seeks new outlets for his Major Willson, First Clerk at the hours. Daily readings are taken Installed and the shower baths are the competition had aroused con- money to make more money. Magistracy, said that he had pre- of self-registering maximum and fixed. The electric wiring, and in siderable interest and keen comthe Covernment programme was technical and fiction library care cussed the question of compensa- The principal features of the almost completed. The erection of about to be issued to the public. reported and the Hon. Librarian tion, when he seemed to realise that weather in 1925 were: (a) a granite portice to the front

below normal from April 4 to 18. Barometric pressure was considenably above normal in April October and December. It was considerably below normal in January, and moderately below in Mhrch. May and August. The buses of all companies, the amange- their presentations are always by the accused, who said he thought mean pressure for the year at minerally useful and should any Major Willson was under a mis- station level was 29.845ins, as against 29.830ins. in 1924" and of a sign to indicate a full bus. here is always the pleasure of threw the flower pot down and said 29.842ins, for the past 12 years. The highest pressure was 30:343 ms. on December 80) as against 10,314 inst. in 1924 and 30,509 inst for the past 42 years. The lowest

pressure was 29:272ins. on July.

and 28,590ins. for the past 42

id as against 29.365ins. in 1924.

The temperature of the air was Winds of typhoon force were considerably below normal in 1925. On June 26, however, a January and February. It was hyphoom passed about 100 miles moderately above normal in and of March. S.W. of the Colony on a north- November. The mean temperawesterly track, causing an E.S.E. ture for the year was 701°.4 as gale at Hongkong. The greatest against 72".3 in 1924 and 71".9 squall velocity, as recorded by the for the past 42 years. . The high-Dines-Baxendell Anemograph was lest temperature was 92°.8 on at the rate of 60 might at August 28, as against 93°.2 in

> May and August. The total for the year was 87.58ins, as against 98.57ins. in 1924 and 85.19ins. for the past 42 years. The greatest fall in one civil day was 10.38ins, on July 17 as against. 20,495ins. for the past 42 years, and the greatest in one hour was 3.16 ins. between 10.30 p.nr. and 11.30 p.m. on June 15, as against 3.480ins, for the past 42 years.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

To-morrow is St. George's Day and the member of the Society of St. George are reminded that there is a brief ceremony at the Cenotaph at 9.30 a.m. at which a wreath will be laid on behalf of the Society. It is hoped that there will be a good muster of members present to do honour to the memory of those for whom the Cenotaph stands as memorial, as well as to the spirit of the Day.

In case there are still any memhera, who have not yet booked heir seats, or any of the Public who do not realise that the Concert is open to all, a reminder is necessary that the time for booking is getting short.

The Concert commences at 9.15 and consists of three parts, the third part being the Sketch "Between the Soup and the Savoury. A late tram has been arranged ment of the organisation. for, and the performance will be over in time to allow plenty of secretary of both the Chinese time for those travelling to Kow-Y.M.C.A. and the European loon to catch the ordinary ferry. Y.M.C.A., spoke of the time when in the Society of St. George have, than 200 members. He was appetite, had restless nights, and be- in the last few days, been very pleased to see some young men came confined to bed. The medicines gratifying, to those members who whose fathers worked for the

they must be few and far The leaders of the Chinese

was People are obtainable from dealers against 149 in 1934. The Toung Siu-cheung, and others. averywhere, also at \$1.50 per bottle 28 for 6 bottles, post free, from the seismograms have been forwarded. Among these who have signed up Dr. Williams Medicine Co., at Klangle to the President of the Balamo- se subscribing members in the Hon. logical Committee, Oxford

NEW SCHOOL.

SAIYINGPUN BUILDING PROGRESS

PART NOW OCCUPIED

The 6th quarterly report (ending March 31), on the building of tive Council by command of H.E.

"Satisfactory progress has been made during this quarter and the state of completion.

unconscious to the ground. Har had Standard time. The character is almost completed, and the tiling at the time, presented it for combeen in hospital for twenty days and direction of the motion of the lof latrine block is in progress. stalling of water service are both The Committee was gratified to note invites members' attention to the he would have to pay something, Heavy rain in June and July, entrance is progressing and brickwork generally is being cleaned. "The school authorities have occupied a portion of the building!

DELAY'S CAUSE. FIRE STATION BUILDING REPORT.

HOME INDENTS LATE.

lovernor, reading as follows:-

"The contractors have made stream where the adverse

"The whole of the brickwork is creep up to second place. yow complete with the exception of geveral partitions on the ground

"The door and sashes have been ixed to the three upper floors of "Chungshing!

"Plasterwork has been carried "Hinsang but to the offices on the four upper work has been fixed and wood block loors are being laid. Painterwork "Taming" as been commenced on the two

"The iron railings, are being ixed to the courtyard and Connaught Road verandahs. "The granitework has been com- "Luchow" leted but still requires to be dress-

"The soil and rain water goods Yeoman tre being fixed and this will allow Murphy. work to proceed with the external

plastemvork. "Owing to the adverse circumstances prevailing during the latter part of 1925, and the non-delivery of "indents from England, it has been" impossible to complete the building by February 25 which is

"he contract date for completion." CHINESE Y.M.C.A.

MEMBERSHIP "DRIVE"

STARTS.

LOCAL ACTIVITIES.

Over a hundred of the leading Chinese residents of the Colony were present at a dinner held last right to start this year's financial and membership campaign of the

local Chinese Y.M.C.A. Mr. Ngan Kwan-yu (chuirman of the educational and membership committees) president

My Wong Kwok-shuen (president of the Chinese Y.M.C.A.) oncouraged all to work hard to relieve the present financial embarrass-

Mr. J. L. McPherson, general The applications for enrolment the Hongkong movement had less

Y.M.C.A. financial and membership To avoid that bane of every ampaign now in progress, include with Mr. R. E. Greensmith, the Dr. Chau Wai-cheung hon secre-Hon. Secretary, they should do lary of the Hangkong Chinese Medi-Loui Association; Mr. Chong Kut An Englishman who is not in sking, manager of On Lok Yuen; the Society in this present year of Dr. Pock Wing-gun; of the Tung president of the Hongkong Chinese Y.M.C.A. Mr. Ng Yu-det Mr. Ngan 159 earthquakes were recorded Kwan-yu Mr. Chak Tai-kwong, Mr. watery blood and disordered nerves kong during the year 1925 by the Weng Kwok-shuen, Mr. Chuck Mr. C. W. Skeet having been Dr. Willams Pink Pille for Pale Millie-Shaw Seismography as You-ke, Mr. Chan Tel-sam. Mr

"TREVESSA" TROPHY.

EXCELLENT HARBOUR RACE YESTERDAY

DUTCH BOAT WINS.

For the second time since the institution of the race, a J.C.J.L. boat won the "Trevessa" trophy. the fifth race for which was row. contest which there has been so

The interesting fact came out at the presentation of prizes after-Building is now in a fairly advanced wards that the institution of the race in Hongkong had led to a the Garden of Eden. The ser-"The plasterwork in the Assembly similar race being inaugurated in pent was the first advertiser on Hall has been completed; the lay- Batavia, Mr. de Meester, of the ing of floor boarding has been com- winning Dutch shipping company, menced and the panelling is raidy stating that in recognition of the for fixing. The paying of covered feat of a J.C.J.L. boat pulling off commenced. The swimming pool similar prize and, being in Batavia petition in that port

As regards the actual harbour forlorn hopes into actualities than race yesterday, the boat from the lany other factor. s.s. "Tiisondari" (which carried threatened on one or two occa-

The wind was light when the

start was made at Channel Rocks but good use was made of the cars. Two of the boats from the s.s. "Tjisondari" went to the front sible man in this firm?" at the start but one was overtaken on the way down to the Rock by the boat from the s.s. The 6th quarterly report (end- "Hangsang:" . The other Dutch ng March 310 on the building of boat, making good time in the he new Fine Station for which the wind and supplemented at all continuctors are Messra. Trollope times by the cars clung tenaciousand Colls (Far East) Ltd., was ly on. Getting first round the hald before the Legislative Council mark, she never looked like getto day by command of H.E. the ting caught, particularly when the "Hangsang" tacked in satisfactory progress, but the work was strongest. Not only did the ins been seriously delayed as the Indo-China thus lose chance of nonmongery and sanitary goods did getting first place but the mistota arrive from England until the taken tactics let the boat from her sister ship, the "Chungshing."

The order of finish was:-

"Tjisondari" (Mr. G. Powell) ...4.54.10

"Taikoo Wanyi" Kweiyang" (Mr. W. A. Donald) ". . 5.41.15

(Mr. Douglas Adams) ... D.N.F. The times were taken by Chief of Signals, Mr.

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record. He sold apples, THAT advertising sold British War Bonds enabling Britain to

finance herself and her Allies in the great war. THAT advertising and opportunity are going to make the

was Colony the mecca for the business. THAT advertising in the "China Mail" has turned more

Advertising is the handmaiden off the prize) led throughout of business, the helpmate of industry and the benefactor of human-

> Visitor: "Who is the respon-Office Boy! "I don't know who the responsible party is, but I am the one who always gets the

> > The Presentation.

Captain W. Davidson in presenting the trophy and a cup to the winning helmsman said he supposed he had been selected to that because he was an old sailor. It was an honour to present the cup. The race just saillied was the fifth and, he thought it was the most satisfactory race they had seen so far. The boats were all salled well and handled well, especially the winning boat, (Mr. Nowotony) . 4.48.54 the second and the third. The winning boat had a good crew (Mr. Osmond) . . 4.53.57 who pulled well all round right up to the finish.

On going through the boat afterwards Capt. Davidson said (Mr. Petherick) ... 4.58.09 he found all gear in good condition, the boat in good shape gen-(Mr. Troye) ... 5.00.20 erally, well kept and a credit to the ship she belonged to. He had (Mr. D. C. Jones) ... 5.20.08 great pleasure in asking Mr. de Meester to accept the trophy for" (Mr. F. J. Griffiths) ... 5.80.42 his company and Mr. Nowotony a silver cup.— (Applause.)

Mr. de Meester, manager of the Java-China-Japan line, in acceptling the trophy, hoped it would be sailed for many years and that it would always provide good races (Applause).



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Section, Kowloon, \$45,500,00, New

set for Harbour Office, \$2,150:00.

ture, Fire Alarms, \$11,000:00.00

School, \$166,000.00; Cadet Quarters,

Canton, \$40,500,00 Hongkong,

Bay Village, \$30,000,000, Hongkong,

Sanitary Department, Othe

\$23.00. Head Stones, \$822.00, Light,

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Education Department. Other

Charges, Students in Training at

Hongkong University. Fees.

32,440,000 Students in Tubining at

Hongkong University, Maintenance,

Public Works, Recurrent, 8

Maintenance of Light-houses, Cost

contract cancelled, \$15,276.00.

Charges, Conveyance and Motor

Architects Account for work done.

Kowloon-Canton Railway, Other

Charges, Store Depreciation Ac-

Expenditure. A Steel Telescopic

grams, sent and erceived by

Government, \$5,000.001

tract price, \$750.00.

\$10,000.00:

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Special Expenditure, Rescue Tug,

Construction of Balance of Con-

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of Charitable Institutions, Little

W.T. Masts (page 101), \$1,300.00.

& S. H. Incidentals, \$150:00:

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ITEMS OF SUPPLEMENTARY EXPENDITURE.

PRESENTED THIS AFTERNOO

The following items of supplementary expenditure will be laid the Legislative Council meeting this afternoon.

Fire Brigade. Special Expenditure, 1 Fire Float \$107,360:00%

Public Works Recurrent, Miscellaneous, 18, Typhoon and Rainstorm Damages, Haulage Charges, &c., \$1,673.00

Other Station, \$326,000,00; Government Prison Department, Charges :- Cleansing and Sanitary Civil Hospital, Extension to Sisters' Materials, to meet excess expendi- Quarters, \$17,000.00; Bonham Road Mr. M. W. Loufor the second. ture, \$353.00

Harbour Master's Department, Communications, Improving and Special Expenditure, d Patrol Widening road through Quarry Launches, Upkeep, Miscellaneous Expenses, \$3,200,00.

Drainage, Wongneichong Nullah, .. Public Works Department, Other, Section J. \$60,000,00; Hongkong; Charges, Radio Telegraph Branch Waterworks, Bowen Road Filter (page 78), Repairs and Store Beds, Conversion, \$130,000,00, Kow-\$400,00: loon, Buildings, Kowloon Hospi-

Education Department, Special Expenditure, Equipment of Salyingpun School, \$5,774.00!

Treasury, Special Expenditure, General Works, \$45,000,00% New Adding Machine, \$786.00. Miscellaneous Services: Motor Valley Scheme: - (c) Pipe Line, Cars Running Expenses, \$209:00; \$50,000:00; New Kowloon, Water-

Newspaper and Periodicals, works. Temporary intakes and \$414.00; Rent Allowances, Euro-Subordinates, \$1,471.00 tories. Buildings, Quarters for In-Rent Allowances, Asiatic Subdian Married Police. \$17,500:00 ordinates, \$708.00; Transport of Government Servants, \$12,072:00; Charges, Advertisements, Hom Empenses of Strike, \$1,107.00: Charitable Services. Charitable Dispensary Clerks., etc., \$279.00;

Pension, Miss C. H. Borrow, \$58.001 Conveyance and Motor Allowances, Director of Education, Other 3836:00. Disinfectants, \$2,134.00 Thanges, Rent of Schools, \$1,410,000 General Cleansing, Chinese New Blarbour Master, Specialt Expens Year, Extra Allowance to coolies, diture. Kelvinator, Motor for ...

Harbour Muster, Other Charges, New system of electric lighting, Conveyance Allowance, for Assis- \$993:00, Transport, \$596:00; A. D. tant Junk Inspector, \$180:00. Sanitary Department, Other

Charges, General Cleansing, Chinse New Year, Labour, \$47,000 Post Office, Personal Emoluments

Salary of Head Postman, \$123:00, Rent Allowances \$384.00; Good \$940.00; Conduct Allowances; \$1,000:00: Audit Department, Personal

of erecting new gib-arm, \$940:00: Emoluments, Acting pay for 2nd Assistant Auditor acting as list Assistant, \$1,404,00: Fire Brigade, Special Expendi-

ture, 1 Fire Float. \$38,640.00. . . Public Works, Extraordinary, 29; Kowloon Hospital, Exgentia payment. \$2,000,000

Police Porce. Other Charges. Motor Cycle Allowances, \$2,100:00: Fublic Works Department, Other Charges, Upkeep of Plant, Gearing for Averling and Porter Steam Roller, \$830.00:

Treasury, Special Expenditure, Embossed Die, Estate Duty Office, \$75,00.

Prison Department, Special Excount, Cost of stores written off at penditure, Paynes Diamond Self Clamp Cutting Machine, \$2,308.00; Ruling Pen Making Machine and Lateen brass. \$67.00.

Rublic Works, Extraordinary Kowloon, Communications, Improve-\$34,000,000 ments to the junction of Nathan and Gascoigne Roads, Kowloon,

\$22,000.00. Department. Other Sanitary Charges, Conveyance and Motor

Allowances, A.M.O.H. \$270: Two Inspectors \$360 each . . \$999.00.

Education Department. Special Expenditure, Medical Fees and Glasses for Students in Covernment Schools, \$300:00:

Public Works, Extraordinary New Territories, Drainage, 64, Training Mullahs, Untrained portion of the nutteh an Crown land which divides the "Rampart" Talpo. the P.W.D. Bungalow,

\$6,500.00. Fire Brigade, Special Expendibure, Chemical Extincteur, 6 for

Kowloon Hospital, \$270.00. Education Department, Other Charges, Grants, Capitation Grants,

\$20,000.00 \$3,031.00; University Examination Grants, \$424.00, Miscellaneous Services, Other Miscellaneous Bervices, Adjustment

of Coal account, \$10,986.00. Education Department, Special Expenditure, Equipment of Sai-

yingpun School, \$4,198:00: Public Works, Recurrent, Hongtong. Miscellaneous, 18, Typhoon

Villagers, \$4,752.00.

laneous, Mosquito Proofing, Police charity. Stations, New Territories, \$5,500.00, Fuller details as to place, time. New Queen's College, \$6,000.00, same cause. Hongkong, Buildings, Re-Building, One or two changes have been D'Aguilar Wireles Station, \$5,000. next month.

00, Hongkong, Waterworks, Shek-O DIMPED OVERBOARD Water Supply, \$1,000.00; Hongkong

ARMS RETRIEVED FROM THE SEA

"Possession of six Mauser pistols, loon, Taipo and Fanling, \$10,200,00. 15 magazines, 380 ammunition Harbour Master's Department. before the Finance Committee at | Special Expenditure, Wireless Tele- | clips and 4,680 rounds of ammunition (recovered from the harbour) phone set for Rescue Tug, \$660,00; and throwing them overboard to Wireless Telegraph and Telephone prevent seizure were charges Fire Brigade. Special Expendi- against two Boatmen at the Central Magistracy, this morning.

Sub-Inspector Lane said that he Police Force, Special Expendiwas asking for the case to be dealt ture. Weigh Bridge for motor with by two Magistrates. Hearing, was fixed for Wednesday after-Public Works, Extraordinary Hongkong, Buildings, Fire Brigade

TO-DAY'S ARRIVALS AND CLEARANCES.

This morning the following. tal:- (a) Buildings and Furniture. sea-going arrivals at Hongkong were reported:-

\$80,000.00, (b) Site, \$16,500.00, New Kowloon, Communications, Roads, "Empress of Asia," Br., from Vancouver, Shanghai, C. P. Si Kowloon, Waterworks, Shing Mun

Amoy, B. and S. "Yangtse," Fr., from Dunkirk, conduits, \$13,500.00. New Terri-

Bayard, Yew Kee. "Mishima Maru," Jap., from Melbourne, Manila, N. Y. K. "Nagano: Maru," Jap., from Appointments, \$600,000, Bonuses to Calcutta, Singapore, N. Y. K. Hozan Maru." Jap., from

> Departures. " "Perpura" for Miri. "Teli" for Foochow. "Linan" for Shanghail "Samarang Maru" for Batavia: 🕒 "Ho Sang" for Amoy. "Yangtse" for Shanghai,

'Nagano Maru'' for Shanghall "Shinyo Maru" for Shanghai. "Adna" for Tarakan.

HARBOUR OFFENCES.

Land Registry, Other Charges, Crown Solicitor, Legal Expenses, Costs in Rex. v. Atherley, \$4,500:00: Public Works, Extraordinary 46. offences, as follow:-Ngau Ship Wan Gaol, Foundation

Steam-launches "Kwong Tail" (2 Sanitary. Department, Other previous convictions), "Fair Fat" (several convictions) and motorboat "Cheung Lee 2," \$20 each for Allowances, Additional Allowances. not observing the rule of the road. Public Works, Extraordinary, S. L. "Tong Foo," \$10 for Police Station, Sham Shui Po, dumping ashes.

S. L. "Tung On" \$20 for being under way without a certificated | coxswain.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMER.

stocktaking at the end of 1924. The B. L. s.s. "Tilawa" will leave Police Special Expenditure. F. Amoy for this port on April 24 Cruising Launch, Balance of Con- at a.m. and is due here on April bract Price. Margin for contingency. 25 at a.m.

Emoluments," Salary of Clerk, rables was notified to the medical Volunteer Defence Corps, Special other notifiable disease.

at Connaught, Road West yesterday while in an intoxicated condition. The man was orescued and sent to the Government Civil Hosture, Pedestal Fire Hydrants, Cost

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MINISTERING CHILDREN'S LEAGUE.

We learn on good authority and Rainstorm Damages, (Page 80), that the Naval Yard Branch of Rent Allowances to Wongneicheng the Ministering Children's League have been fortunate enough to Public Works, Extraordinary, secure the services of the newly Honghong, Miscellaneous, Installa- found Imperial Concert. Party to tion of 1% Kilo-Watt Wireless set, appearin a pot pourri programme \$5,100.00, New Territories, Miscellin aid of this very deserving

Hongkong, Miscellaneous, Tele- and date will be given shortly, but phone cable from Victoria Gap to in making this announcement we Mountain Lodge and Signal Station, feel sure that the troups will be replacing aerial line with under accorded equally as warm a reground line, \$3,700.00, Hongkong, ception by the Hongkong public, Miscellaneous, Tools for Electric as they received last summer, Workshops, \$2,000.00. Hongkong, when they put up such an excel-Buildings: Victoria Hospital, lent performance at the Com-\$90,000.00; Hongkong, Buildings, Government House in aid of the

No. 8 Police Station, \$80,000.00, made in the troupe owing to cer-Hongkong, Buildings, Quarry Bay tain departures for home, but Behool, \$88,000.00, Hongkong, Mis- quite a strong cast of talented cellaneous, Telephone cable to amateurs will take the stage

BOATMEN CHARGED

Territories. Miscellaneous. Underground Cable scheme, between Kow-

Mr. J. M. d'Almada Remedios is appearing for the first accused and

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"Aki Maru" for Manila.

Office of Crown Solleitlor and This morning the Marine Court imposed fines on the masters of local small craft for harbour

General, "Personal Yesterday a Chinese "case" o officer of health. There was no !

A Chinese fell into the harbour

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"COMMUTING" MANIA.

A meandering Memsahib writing in the Rangoon "Times" gives this interesting account of part of her journey.

Chinese merchant who told us before a large gathering of interthat although himself Cantonese, ested spectators: informants were more favourable arrangements. heard more fully when we talked float. those parts would only tell the that has been claimed for it. Not Mr A. Cady truth! Against the bankrupt only is it able to cope with pos- Mr Chauviers Hongkong we placed the testi- sible ship fires at short notice but Mr J. G Obster in China and reported that Chin- would be able very materially to Mr. & Mrs W. Gould Mrs N. B. Solner ese from the inland were pouring supplement the present fire appli- Mr and Mrs E. J. Mr & Mrs P. N. R. Swyisel no more would be received. This la big blaze. was due to the absolute confidence they had in the integrity of the British. When Hongkong came into possession of the British there was nothing there the Chinese coveted; but the worthless, developed, has become the desirable. We were glad to enjoy the Hongkong of to-day without too much thought of its past or its future. But even that perfect to picture of Hongkong harbour

European conflict had stirred up strife in this corner of the world Press" on April 13. when it was full of shipping, a port of ports. Lovely as the Peak is, it has always been difficult of access, so shooting the chute over the imthat many Europeans are now building up a colony at a senside or tails down as fortune favoured spot on the other cooler side of the island, easily accessible to town by motor road. The commuting mania is in evidence even across the harbour. Kowloon, eight years ago a sordid native village 4,500 | 402 May | Maolia; Kolambigan, Sandakan supplemented with docks, is now Thursday Island. Townsville, Bris. a thiriving city with remote and MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. attractive residential suburbs. At the ferry slip a dozen motor buses commuters to their homes, and on March 16 and is due here to- Continental Ports and London. private cars are not lacking. On morrow. the surface, save for the light! The B. L. s.s. "Bendoran" from shipping, Hongkong and vicinity Leith, Rotterdam and Antwerp is to all appearances might still be due to arrive here to-morrow. out of the present impasse that at a.m.

from the Peak was marred by the

lack of ships upon its waters.

visit, before the backwash of

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he felt that the people down there The Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe following Bolshevik Russia in-Police and Chief of the Fire stead of stable England, America Brigade) was present. Mr. H. T.

pictured. Hongkong a bankrupt capacity of the monitors, very and Mrs. Sally Simpson. city because of the boycott and considerable in themselves, it is prophesied that it was fated to re- possible to increase this by subturn to the fishing village of its sidiary deliveries and discharge origin. They told their side of 4,000 gallons or 18 tons of the story, but ignored the Bolshe- water per minute working at a Mr.C.P. Anderson Mr. and Mrs. G. vist propaganda of which we pressure of 150 pounds from the Mr J. E. G. Baillie Mr R. R. Parker

with a friend in Hongkong. One |. The five float was in every way | Mis C. Brown would be so happy if people in satisfactory and demonstrated all Mr and Mrs. J. mony of one who has lived long anchored near the sea front it Mr F. R. Fletcher Mr C. B. Shank their money into banks there until lances of the Colony in the event of

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Curry tiffins, dances and concerts, varied by an elephant ride the famous menggleunchor water slide in Perak, formed the bill of fare of Mr. George Windsor" and a party of officers and men from H.M.S. "Hawkins" who visited Perak during the flew and we remembered our first week-end, says the Ipoh correspondent of the "Singapore Free

The Prince witnessed Malay the bathers at the water slide, mense rock, and landing heads up or frowned at the bottom of the

Taiping bade a regretful farewell to the party, all returning happy and tired.

prosperous, and the disinterested; The E. I. s.s., "Gambhira" left

visitor cannot leave without hop- | Singapore for this port on April ing that some way may be found 19 and is due here on April 26 will satisfy the thinking among . The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of the Chinese as fair and at the Asia" will sail for Manila at 5 p.m.

> April 27. The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of Marseilles and London. Canada" left Vancouver for Hongkong, via Japan ports and Shang-

hai, on April 17 and is due here "Java" are reminded that cargo The s.s. "Ceylon" (Swedish East: remaining undelivered after 4 p.m. Asiatic Co., Ltd.), left Antwerp on

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List of passengers arrived per "President", McKinley!" April 21:-

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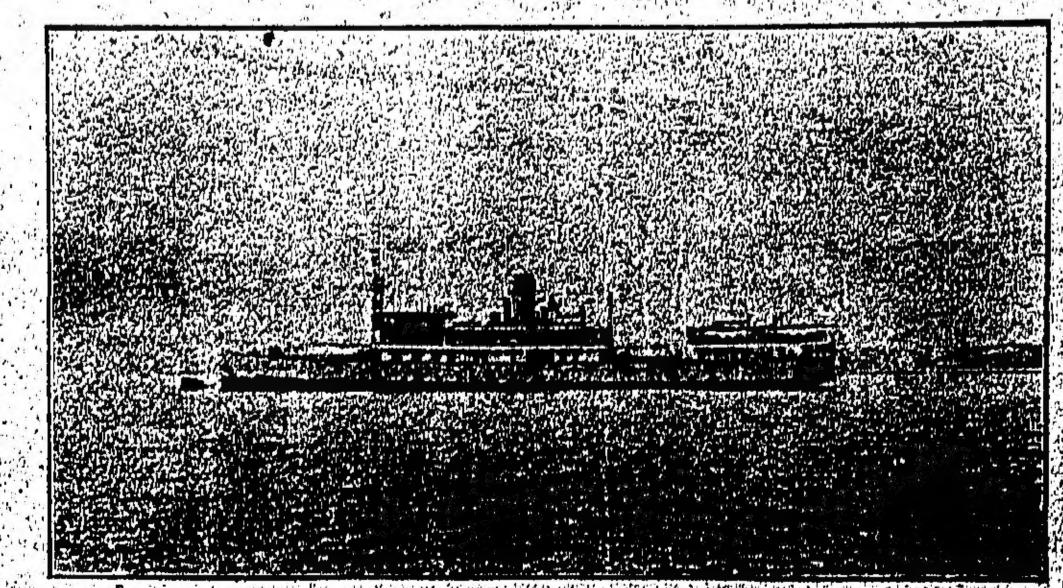
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Hongkong, Thursday, April 22, 1926.

"TOPSY" VILLAGES.

Eighty-five years have passed since the Colony was founded and it must strike the outsider as very peculiar that villages have been permitted to spring up here and to sanitary matters. They have Bill and will probably give thanks. lieve that "this does not mean any They undoubtedly encourage neglect on the part of the Sanitary sense of the gruesome and the Department" and yet in the same development of minds that, that "it appears to have been the muddy. We are spared this sort deliberate policy of the Board in of thing in this Colony. Apes and the past to make no attempt to tigers there may be, but, like a impose the letter of the law on child that is weaned from such villages." It is a remark- mother, they are kept low. able revelation, to say the least of there are other things which may are their sanitary amenities, which see the light of day. what facilities exist for spreading correspondent to a Shanghai disease to other parts of the paper deplores the open sale in island, are all blank questions, that city of unsavoury postcards And the blank would still exist until the Colony celebrates its centenary fifteen years hence were Probably all the big cities not for the probings of such citizens as Dr. Koch to whom the health of the whole community is something not merely idealistic. After having ignored the existence of these villages for so long the Sanitary Board is now. almost persuaded that "if it had power" it "would ask the Government to remove them." That is to say, after they have been left a soul in the form of the Sanitary admit the existence of Board or the Government would advanced age, it is better to let them and scatter their inhabitants itself what is good and bad. to the four corners of the Colony Nudity is not necessarily inor further afield. That surely decency. The term "the human

cracy" under the British Crown.

If the authorities have erred in

committing ains of omission in

the past, that cannot surely be

whom they have sinned—the vil

lagers who have been allowed to

Do minupa From the letter of the

law" and the remainder of the community whose health has been jeopardised by the absolutely prevailing in these villages."

All these revelations make it clearer every day that the work off sanitation is beyond the ability of the Sanitary Department as at present, constituted to cope with either in its own interests or the interests of the Colony. personnel in the first place numerically much below the requirements of even a third-rate Government spectors, are no less human than other people; they cannot perform physical impossibilities. whole Department requires overhauling and modernising to be able to supervise adequately every square mile in the Island, whether rural or urban. The sconer that is realised the brighter wil Tuesday, the prospects be of Hongkong setting its sanitary and public health house in order by 1941the centenary year.

UNSAVOURY.

The House of Commons has passed the third reading of a Bill designed to forbid the publication in newspapers of details calculated absence of the proper finding million tons over the previous pleased to answer to the best of to injure public morals. Only the whether actually a prisoner is year, notwithstanding that that my ability any questions that salient features of certain kinds guilty of murder or of year had also shown an increase shareholders may wish to ask, there within the extremely small of cases are to be permitted. circumference of twenty-seven Those who know the nature of murder trials as feeling unsatisthe slightest certain types of Sunday papers factory over them. I took the semblance of control in regard will understand the object of the 'grown up" like Topsy and For the advertisement of the ape have "since become "nobody's" and tiger in humanity, this class airns." We are asked to be of paper takes the proverbial bun, breath we are told quite frankly say the least, may be called it." How the villagers live, what reasonably be called unsavoury thorough understanding and "illustrated" cigarette cases. Shanghai is not alone in this China possess this class of "merchandise" the production, doubtless of continental minds free from a sense of any moral obligation, and very willing to make money out of the weakness and bad taste in human nature. Hongkong is not free from the taint. The best than can be said is that of paramount importance as the there does not appear to be an judge. The Chief Justice has overpressing demand for such commented on the running out of you will notice that the overdraft moderate; overcast, some rain. in perfect peace ever since they things and that they are so much date of the laws governing at bankers amounted to \$2.743. became villages, with not the dead stock. There is danger in that His Lordship will not fail secured by a depenture for slightest restrictions in matters over-much censure and censorship, to enquire into the Jury System \$2,000,000. The General Agents hygienic, the Corporation without and, generally speaking, if we carefully and whatever reforms have, with the approval of the MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. hesitate not a moment to raze the mind decide—or try to—for ministration of British Justice. Yours, etc. does not tend to give a good im form divine" is expressive of pression of a benevolent auto purity, and it is in that sense that HOME MAIL. criticism must be based. Wisely

good. It may be asking too much.

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HONGKONG JURORS.

(To the Editor of the China Mail)

Sir. Your sub-leaderette of the 20th inst. meets my concurrence that it should be the duty of those whose names appear the Jury List to take part, voting at the Sanitary Board Election. The distinction has never been directed that, as on this occasion when the contestants are Portuguese and Chinese respectively, jurors other than of of these nationalities are to leave all jurors are to present themselves at the coming election recognising it as equally import- Supporting the chairman were: election "do not bothen them the Mr. G. M. Shaw (manager), Cap- it is practically impossible to give least." People with such a dull tain T. Arthur, Messrs, J. any reliable forecast, and we spirit of citizenship are useless for Baptista, H. Birkett, Choa Po- have also to contend with the civil any community and they should min, Choa Po-sien, F. .. M. wars in China which are continshocking insanitary conditions rightly be denied the privileges Courtney, R. E. Coxon, B. Ede, ually upsetting the interior manthat are accorded only to those F. M. P. de Graca, Ho Fook, Ho kets. loyal and honourable. You made Leung, Ho Kwong, Ho Shai-kit, At the moment, the raw marthe suggestion that should the F. C. Hall, L. Manchin, R. E. kets are somewhat excited over decided upon, the Government Ker Shaw, should appeal for the direction of Jurors. It is indeed a high compliment you are paying to them the notice. Mr. Bernard said :but the Government would be meeting a grave peril should they ever make such an attempt. tors report, have been in your I will not say that jurors on the hands for some days and whole are unreliable to advise for your permission I will follow the the adoption of a sound policy, usual procedure and take them as officials, including sanitary in- but there is first the question of read those constituting the personnel The loss for the past of the Jury List. I have com- amounts to \$1,471,800.58, which mented on several occasions that with the debit balance the system of our Jury Service is \$32.155.28 brought forward from not in its proper course, and your the previous year makes the total demerits, and suggested cer- account \$1,503,955.86. tain reforms. The authorities It is with very great regret such a matter that prompt report, particularly as it follows prices, may be anticipated. measures should be taken bearing on a year which showed an even in mind that by the introduction worse result.

Justice, the law is made justified have been faced with extrato give the true interpretation of ordinary difficulties during fairness to the prisoner on trial. the period under review. Prices There have been instances in our for raw sugar steadily declined tion, especially at the present low local courts when wrong verdicts from March 1924, to October were returned by the Jury and 1925. During the former year the this. grave as they were that even in drop in Java browns was some murder trials the miscarriage of \$71/2 per picul and in 1925 \$3 per further that calls for comment justice was brought about picul. The reason for this was through the inattention and care the very heavy increase in the adoption of the report and aclessness of jurors during proceed- world's production of sugar. ings. The chief fault lies in the 1924/25 which amounted to 31/2 this has been seconded I shall be manslaughter. I can bear evid- of 11/2 million tons over the preence of wrong verdicts at certain ceding year. proper course in drawing the at-

tention of our late Governor, who after careful consideration granted reprieves. It is high time that the Jury Service should be reformed and as I have hinted, particular attention should be drawn to the personnel on the list. It is my opinion that managers of firms who are responsible for that only those who hold a re-As far as his Chinese staff is connames of only those who have a ket. English. The present Jury List. which I understand is compiled. once a year, is not exactly correct, as I find the names of certain persons who have long left the Colony, the names of certain firms which have ceased to exist, and the names of those who have severed connection with the firms as stated. In the Occupation ferior positions and, I wonder if people in England should occupy such positions have ever the right accorded to them to be included in the Jury Record. The responsibilities of a Juror empanelled for a trial are strict and the exercise of his duties is as

M.T.S.

directed the younger element will laid at the door of those against ... If it is then why not a little educative effort y Falling this the

delivery soon after arrival

MORE CAPITAL?

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY

FACTS DISCLOSED TO-DAY

creased was hinted by D. G. M. Bernard (chairman) at meeting of the China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., when a series of interesting facts were disclosed.

Last year's troubles in China as to future prospects."

ant as to attend Criminal Sessions, -the Hon, Mr. A. O. Lang, Mr. then if could be said that our H. P. White (of the consulting luctant to make any prophecies, as citizens do take a keen interest in committee), Mr. E. B. C. Hornell the factors that make for success public affairs. Certain jurors (secretary), and Mr. W. E. L. or otherwise are so varied and whom I met confronted me with Shenton (company's solicitor).

the shameful remark that the Shareholders present were: so unexpected and sudden, that

Last Year's Loss.

After the secretary had read The report and statement of accounts together with the audi-

of Jury Service in Courts of It goes without saying that we

Sugar Trade Facts.

Although there was a large increase in consumption, stimulated! by the lower prices, it was not able to cope with the enormous tween 4,300,000 and 4,700,000 tons, but when it became evident that these totals would be exceeded there was a further drop the handling of the form for the in values and the final outturn filling in of names of his staff to actually exceeded 5,100,000 tons. serve on the Jury, should see In our business it is necessary for us to buy forward but unfortunsponsible position are eligible, ately we are not able to sell our refined products in the same way cerned, the manager should use and business therefore becomes his discretion to include the very difficult on a declining mar-

In addition to the falling raw sugar markets, which invariably react very quickly in the refined markets throughout China, our losses were caused by the troubles in China last year, which resulted in a stagnation in our outlets for refined, and necessitated the closing of the refinery for six weeks at Hongkong. It has decreased during the summer and a small moderately at Shanghai and slightly melt for a long period. Competi- over Formosa. In the South it is Column I note very many in tion from Japanese refineries has nearly stationary. also been very keen but it is re- An anticyclone is central over ported that the refineries have S.W. Japan and a depression over lately agreed amongst themselves Tongking. to restrict their output, and if this proves correct I hope that there will not be so much available for dumping in China.

Debenture For Overdraft. are to be made, will only help to Consulting Committee, granted. create the true version of the our bankers a debenture covering fundamental principles in the ad- all the Company's assets with the exception of stocks of raw and refined sugar to secure an overdraft up to \$2,000,000 In addition to this, we are allowed a further \$700,000 against 75 per cent of the market value of stocks of Singapore for this portion Aprilsugar at East Point. These fact. 19 at am. and is due here on April lities, gentlemen, are all we can 28 at a.m. A letter mail from Europe com- get for our ordinary business, and soon separate the base from the prising about 165 bags, including in my opinion they are as much as the London mail of March 25, can reasonably be expected. As despatched via Suez, was expected the Company is situated to day. by the s.s. Talma at 8 o'clock however, we are very short of cash, and the advance to the Comonly thing is to comb out the The letters will be sorted for pany from the General Agents amounted to \$1.559.458.86 on

December 31 in addition to the overdraft at bankers. It may therefore be better to increase the capital of the Company and this is a matter that will receive the attention of the General Agents and Consulting Committee when conditions are more favourable.

Depreciation on the usual scale: That the capital may be in- has been provided for on buildings and machinery, and our plunt has been kept in a thoroughly to-day's 48th annual general efficient condition by systematic repairs and renewals \$60,944.50 having been spent during the

Our stocks of both raw and rewere blamed, partly, for a big loss fined sugar at December 31, 1925, on working. Reference was also have been written down to market made to the world's increased pro- values at that date, and it is extheir hands off in the matter. If duction of sugar, and keen com- pected that the provisions made to petition. Mr. Bernard also spoke cover losses on unclosed shipments will be more than adequate.

What The Future Holds. As regards the future, I am rethe vagaries of the sugar market

occasion arise when there is a Macdougall, C. Savard-Remedios, the recent decision of the Cuban. matter of great intricacy to be A. M. da Silva, R. Sutherland, J. Government to curtail the output of the present crop by 10 per cent. This has been brought about by the critical situation there due to the low level of prices which are less than the average cost of production. There is some doubt as to whether this restriction can be enforced, but it is evident that if some 500,000 tons are withdrawn from the world's supplies of sugar available for this year, higher prices may be looked for. Even if the suggested reduction of 10 per cent. in the present Cuban crop is not found to be feasible. I think the general conditions of the markets, as far columns also commented on its balance at debit of profit and loss as can be judged at present, justify the hope that any decline which may occur is only likely to paid no heed to them but it is that I have to present such a bad be temporary and that better

It is estimated that the increase in the world's production of sugar in 1925/26 is about 800,000 tons and it is possible that this may not be realised. But even if it is the normal increase in consump-

I do not think there is anything and I now beg to propose the in counts as presented, and when

[Captain T. Arthur seconded. No question was put, and the motion was carried unanimously.]

Other Business. Other business passed by the

meeting comprised:-Re-election of the Hon. Sir Paul production. Early in 1924/25 it Chater, the Hon: Mr. A. O. Lang. was expected that the Cuban crop and Mr. H. P. White to the conwould amount to somewhere be- sulting committee-proposed by Mr. B. Ede, seconded by Mr. Choa

Election of Messrs, Lowe, Bingham and Matthews and Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming as auditors for the current year (at \$750 each)—proposed by Mr. Ho Fook, seconded by Mr. Ho Leung.

SOME RAIN.

FORECAST TILL TO MORROW AT NOON.

The report of the Royal Observatory at 11:30 a.m. to-day reads: Pressure has increased considerably over Japan and slightly

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.34 inch. Total since January 1, 20.05. inches, against an average of 9.82

Forecast for the 24 hours end-Turning now to the accounts, ing at noon to-morrow :- E. winds,

The C.P.S., R.M.S. Empress of Australia arrived at Kobe yesterday at 4.30 p.m. left Kobe to-day at 4 p.m. and is due at Yokohama to-morrow at 8 p.m. The B. L. s.s. Gambhira left

What is your work? Exploring central, Africa.

"VERY DELICATE!"

PREPARING FOR STOPPAGE OF COAL PITS.

OWNERS NEW PROPOSALS.

(Reuter's Service.) "

· London, Aphil 21. The 'roak situation' is described' as "very delicates"

A lacoust official statement besuch at the conclusion of a ninety-minute conference between the mine owners and the Prime Minister (Mr. S. Haldwin) morely announces that the mine owners will medt the miners to hierrow merning,"

The Miners' Executive held, long uncling's to-days when it discussed plans for ensuring the sufety of the "mile in the espect of a stoppage, on Aray 9. It adjoe considered that the wages, which at present if 33 T 3 [will reject supplies, over conf. or or the standard rates, Chief Centroversyl"

The chost woint of controbersy at the continuence to-morrow wi likely be the question of the millionels uniform minimum which the mind's demand, and an adjustment of minimum servicitagies i the districts, which the owners prorose should be subject to vatification by a National Board, . See

· Prime Minister Opposedt it is reported in well-informed circles that Mr. Balekvin is opposed to the owners' demand for district

YESTERDAY'S MEETING.

Minister of Labour Present. S

British Wireless Service.

Rugby, April 24. The Executive Committee of the coul owners this afterior men the Prime Minister, who was accompanied by Sir Arthur Steel Musikland, Minister of Imbour, and Colonel C. R. Lane Fox & nder-Secretary of State for Mines.

ward issued. It was silent as forthe results "of the discussions, but agreeing on the Naval Replacement stated that the coal owners would Programme? which, was mainly meet the miners' Executive to-mor- | shelved last year owing to the row morning.

INDIAN POLITICS.

SWARAJISTS AND PASSIVE RESISTANCE.

ATTITUDE TO GOVERNMENT.

(Reuter's Service.)

Ahmedabad, April 24,

A conference of the Swarnjists at the instance of Gandhi to try Norwich, asked if a counterto arrive at a common formula of concession, such as the better at the beginning of May, provid- in exchange for the extension of ing that the response of the Gov- the area to the Bahamas conceded ernment; too the demand for a for the operation of American refurther advance is considered venue cutters? satisfactory in the provinces.

Central Provinces Deadlock. Simla, April 21. ent refusal of the Swarnist majority in the Central Provinces | Figure traffic. Council to vote Ministers, saluries. the Government of India has suspended the dyarchical adminisvention until January 31 next. when a new Council will be elected.

NAVAL DEFENCE.

JAPAN AND REPLACEMENT PROGRAMME.

" " (Reuter's Service.)

- Tokyo, "Apřill 21. Amongst matters touched on by the Premier at this morning's opening of the annual Gubernatorial Conference was the question of consumating Navall Defence. which Mr. Wakatsuki emphasised as the most important "awing to

This reference "in conjunction with a similar statement made on Seturday when additessing the Kenseikal meeting at Osaka ap-An official statement was after [pears to, indicate the Government's intention to consider seriously necessity for economising.

Empire's insular circum-

ROYAL BIRTH.

THE DECHESS OF YORK CONGRATULATED:

SUCCESSION QUESTION.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, April 25. . The Duches of York's daughter was born at 2.40 in the morning.

Both agh well. The Duchess of York's accouchement was expected about the end | It is authoritatively learned that of Affeil so the new arrival at No. the progress of the Duchess 17. Bruton Street is a little earlier York and her daughter is as satis-

was summoned to Bruton, Street to enquire into the circumstances when the Duchess of York's baby of the alleged bombardment of the was expected illustrated the impor- schooner Eastwood. Sir Esme tance of the event from the view- Howard on March 22 at the re-Polat of the Home Office, as success | quest of the Canadian Government sion to the Throne is the first in and on behalf of the owners and the male line and at present the master, protested against the new Frincess is the only child born action of the United States reto a son of the reigning sovereign. | venue cutter and asked offer th ther position can only be modified by | result of the investigation request; issue of the Prince of Wales or the ed on February 23 at the earliest, Birth of a son to the Duke and No reply had yet been received.

Duchess of York. Satisfactory Progress.

London, April 21. factory as could be wished.



Duke and Duchess of York.

The Duchess has been in remarkably good health, and accompanied the Duke to a theatre a few. days ago.

The Duke has already received many congratulations, the first being telephoned in the early hours from members of the Royal Family. It is probable that their Majesties will motor from Windsor to-day to visit their first grand-daughter.

The fact that the Home Secretary

Their Majesties the King and Queen, who are at Windsor Castle, were awakened at three o'clock in the morning to be told of the birth of their first granddaughter. They motored to London in the afternoon to see the baby, which is described

as a fine, healthy child. The Prince of Wales sent a most cordial message of congratulation from Biarritz.

Similar messages are arriving from all over the Empire.

LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

BRITAIN'S ASSISTANCE TO AMERICA.

NO NEW POLICY.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, April 21.

In the House of Commons, Capand "Responsivists," which met tain J. G. Fairfax (Conservative, work, has reached an agreement, treatment of British immigrants which the All-India Congress on Ellis Land and at other Committee will be asked to ratify | American ports, could be obtaine

If the power, responsibility, and of State for Foreign Affairs, said other venue than Switzerland for initiative considered necessary that no such agreement had been this Conference. for the effective discharge of their made. The United States Covern- Russia's refusal to attend the duties are secured to the Minis- ment had been informed that owing Conference if it was held in ters-and the sufficiency of these to difficulties as regards community Switzerland was not very powers in each province will be carions, specified United States courteous to the League or favourdecided in the first instance by vessels henceforth would be allow- lible to the objects which the mational agreement are substant the conference—the members of ed to visit flunear and the ad- League had in view. Every tours offered from the present the Legislabure, or otherwise the jacent islands without formal effort had been a made agreet provided that a call was obtain a settlement of the national triber minimum rate of ment, will refuse to take office and first made at Bimini to notify difference, which had arisen be-The Bahaman Commissioner. This tween the Soviet Government and was a purely adminisprative matter the Swiss Government in order to and was a continuance, of the preyent this happening, In consequence of the persist- policy embodied in the Convention | these efforts had failed. respective of the regulation of the It was impossible that the

> Schooner Bombarded. At aquestion time Sir Austen Chamberlain said that on February 22 Sif Esine Howard had request, the Swiss Government.



Sir Esme Howard.

the United States Government

A Washington cable of April 16 states .- The Treasury Department have found the charge that the cutter Seneca fired on the schooner Eastwood to be without foundation Officials stated that they had information that for over a year the Eastwood hovered off the coast, obviously intending to land liquor in the United States.

Illegal Seizures. New York, April 21." The Appellate Court has dismissed proceedings brought against the United States Government for the seizure of the Norwegian vessel Sagatind and the British

ship Diamantina. Both were seized over fifteen miles from the coust, but the Government, in instituting proceedings under the liquor Treaties with Norway and Great Britain, contended that the vessels were near enough the shore for fast boats to make the trip easily within an

The Court, however, denied that such an extension of territorial jurisdiction was 'created in the Treaties in question.

Changing the Law. Washington, April 21. In a connection with the above General Lincoln C. Andrews, Assistant Secretary for the Customs; has sent a Bill to Congress authorising the extension of the right to search to an hour's sail-

ing distance from the shores of the

United States. " Ex-Governor's Assertions. Washington, April 21. The Prohibition Investigation Committee has considered a letter from an ex-Governor of Pennsylvania submitting statistics tending to prove that since the enforce?

ment of the Volstead Act, the

position in Pennsylvania has

steadily improved. Over 300 saloons have disappear ed since 1928; when 200 drunks could be counted on the streets on any evening and between 800 and 400 on Saturdays. Recently a trip through the same streets showed -that there were only three drunks.

NOT COURTEOUS!"

SOVIET'S REFUSAL TO ATTEND CONFERENCE.

A DESERVED SNUB.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, April 21. Sir Austin Chamberlain, Secroany of State for Foreign Affairs. House of Commons replying ton questions, stated he had " not receivany proposal for mement of the preparatory onfarence on Disarmament fixed Ffor May 17 in Genevat and he was not prepared, in order to remove any possibility of such Sir Austen Chamberlein, Secretary postponement, to propose some

Ecogue should transfer its seal from Switzerland at the bidding of any Power which happened to have a diplomatic difference with

GERMAN ASSURANCE

NEW TREATY WITH THE SOVIET UNION.

BRITAIN SATISFIED.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, April 21. In regard to the proposed Club v. 5/2 Punjable at Marina | Treaty between Germany and the ground, 5.30 p.m. Soviet Union, Sign Austen: Chamberlain, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said in the House of Commons that he under- day Herald Cup, between England stood it had not yet been concluded, and he had not seen the 4.45 p.m. text of any of the articles; the German Government had the Hongkong Jockey Club, Happy given an assurance that the livalley, 3 p.m. Treaty would contain nothing

the Locarno Agreement. Accepting this assurance, and . May 8 Annual athletic sports. assuming that the final text com- of the Victoria Regreation Club. pletely fulfilled it, he saw no reason to take exception to the

NO DECISION.

MOROCCAN PEACE PARLEYS BREAK UP. ."

DELEGATES TO REPORT. (Reuter's Service.)

Paris, April 21. report from Uida states that Morocco Pence Conference broke up this evening, no decision being reached in regard to the preiminaries for the peace negotia-

has not been fixed, the delegates Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co.'s wishing to consult their Covern-Loffices, St. George's Building, ments prior to another meeting.

TRADE CREDITS.

GUARANTEES BY GERMAN "GOVERNMENT,

SCHEME FOR RUSSIA.

(Reuter's Service.)

Berlin, April 21, Russo-German trade Is expected to receive a considerable impetus ! as the result of the German Covernment guaranteeing that German firms who are prepared to supply certain articles, chiefly eavy machinery, to Russia on credit shall obtain at least 60 per cent, of the money owing to them by the Russian buyer. Should the latter and the Rus-

sian State Bank in Moscow, which . is the guaranter of the Buyer, both fall to pay, the German guarantee covers 60 per cent. of £15,000,000. syorth of goods.

Shadows Before.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED

IN THE "MAIL."

"Entertainments.

April 22-Queen's Theatre: Reginald Denny in "What Happen ed to Jones."

April 22-Star Theatre: Madge Belliny in "Lorna Doone," April 22-World Theatre: "The Arizona Sweepstakes."

April 23-Theatre Royal; a youal and instrumental Concert under the auspices of the St. George's Society, 9:15 p.m.

May 1-Mayday Carnivall at Repulse Env." ... May 7-Smoking Concert at Volunteer Frendquarters and distribution of prizes won at recent Corps Rifle Meeting, 9:15 p.m.

... Sports. Aprillo . 23-Hongkong Hockey April 24-R.H.K.Y.C.'s closing

cruise of the season at Club House. April 24-Final round in "Sunand Portugal, on H.K.F.C. ground, May 1-"Extra" race meeting of

"May 2-Fourth annual athletic 5 which conflicted with the Coven-paports of the South China Athletic | 5 ant of the League of Nations or Association on H.K.F.C. ground, Happy Valley.

April 27-At Lammert Bros. Sales Room, one 6-cylinder Buickmotor var. 3 p.m. Appil 27-At 15. Connaught Road, Central, 1st floor, office furniture by Lammert Bros., at 11 April 26-At. Lammert Bos." Sales Room, postage stamps, 5.15

Company Meetings.

April 22-Second meeting of the Simplex Plaster Co., Ltd., at the Registered Offices of the Company, Powell's Building, 2nd floor, 3 p.m. April 24-Fourth meeting of shareholders of Lane, Crawford, Ltd., Royal Building, Ice House Street, II a.m. ..

April 26-Second meeting o The date of the next conference | China Underwriters, Ltd., at Chater Road, 11 a.m.

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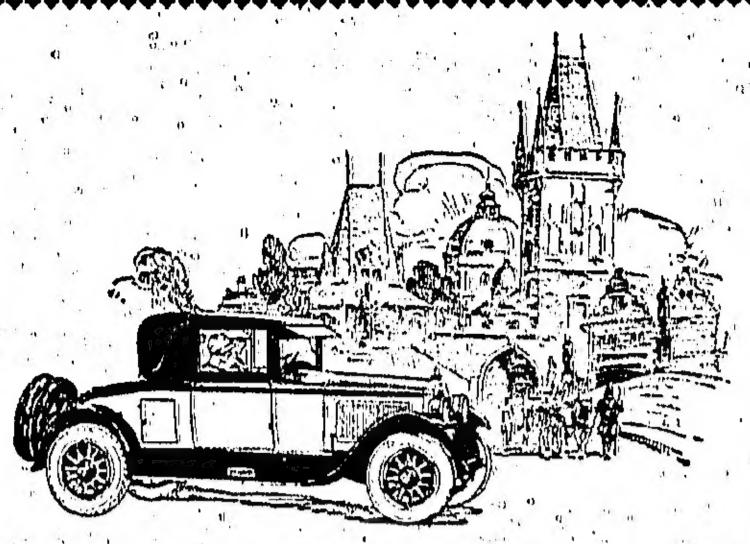


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People afflicted with Asthma! Vienna bryngologist.

"Vienna coffee houses are in danger of becoming Americanized!" is the cry in the famous whose doffee houses are tradition the world over. The issue stake is whether waiters shall discard their dress suits and tuxedos for shout white coats.

George Butchinson at Camelford, for the poisoner.

Phroke into the house. Smashed ornamental flowerpots in the hall, Overturned tabless and

Dr. C. N. Whraham, second son

Mr. G. J. Dickson has been

of the late Rev. S. Abraham, "has

been appointed Assistant Health

Cappointed hon, secretary of, the

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Mr. Charles Christian Heidsieck.

Heidsieck, Eheims, champagne

growers; is at present in Penange

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remarkable and unconventional

Queen Mary as Working Woman,

book by a new authoress will be

Seventy thousand children were

entertained by the Salvation Army

at banquets in various parts of the

country in celebration of General

At Belmont Parish, Church,

Glasgow, on the 4th instant, the

marriage took place of Mr. James

Whyte, of Singapore, eldest son o

Mr. and Mrs. Whyte, Friarscroft,

Renfrew, to Miss Mona Hardie

fter of the Rev. R. L. Macrie and

Damrong, who has received a

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"She called me a teetotaller, -Man at Jottenham Police Court. | realised £1,400-a record.

Measham, H. Holyonk, Mr. Ft. L. Lewis Leicestershire, are applying for steamer, which went ashore near will be in charge of the Hongkong apprenticeships to tradesmen. Beachy Head on December 30; has Office of Messrs. Holyoak and although they may under a charity been refloated and safely berthed. to this village.

Fralasia and China Telegraph Co., Lo. the erection of all houses was the last 12 years in consequence Ltd., notify that normal working the gist of a resolution passed by of the enormous decrease in the with Shanghai and beyond has been a Scottish Labour conference at prison population. Glasgow. o.

In an attempt to lift South pastime late at night.

It is reported from Mysove that at a village, a few miles from that gity, some unknown person old capital of the Hapsburgs, has poisoned 25 wild monkeys. Orthodox Hindus who venerate the monkey, dressed the bodies in funeral garments and took them in religious procession through the streets of the city to the Alcremation ground and disposed of One of several pigs which them with Shustric ceremonial saided the garden of Maajor The outraged Hinds are looking

of a country, if I may control the cinemas." Mrt. Snowden, ex-Chancellor of the Exchequer, thus should be registered by the police, Smashed a Chinese vase 250 modernised the old adage at the for a shilling fee, and wear an annual dinner of the Circum. identity disc, was rejected by a A Blackburn grocer, sum at the Hotel Victoria. Tax on The project was put forward by moned for selling goods on early entertainments was bad and the local branch of the Royal closing day, said:-"I have com- violated all sound financial policy, Society for the Prevention of mitted an offence in the eyes of he shid. It discouraged a Cruelty to Animals. The medical man, but not in the eyes of my legitimate and very useful form officer reported that the spread of Heavenly Father, who said (Six of enjoyment. Thirty million disease had not been traced to days shall thou labour and do all people went to the cinema, and he cats to any serious extent, and thy work, but rest on the seventh believed that it did more than any that complusory registration days." It my to do that." He was other agency to promote temper- might lead to increasing rats and ance and sobriety.

1,054,000 gallons of Australian wine were imported in 1925.

University College c. The Sydney was sold at auction " for and I look upon that as an insult." Charity "Rag" at Nottingham

The "Comptesse de Flandres"

Nearly half the prisons in the The Eastern Extension Aus- | Building trade rates to apply country have been closed down in

The average salary of maid-Post Office savings deposits servants in Tokyo is Y15 a month patient, a Chinese, is an arrival 948,471. and holders credit according to statistics. The demand is exceeding the supply, it is announced.

should "hum" through their noses. Wales from "iniquity." magis- . A Berlin cable to "The Daily It would help them overcome fits trates who consider ord mary, Chronicle's says the Soviets have and eventually will cure the dis- dencing as "dangerous" excite- decided to permit women to be ease entirely, according to Pro- mend," barbaric" and "sensuous," officers on ships of their" merfessor Horbuser, well known have forbidden this "indiscreet" cantile marines One woman is to be a naval architect in State shipbuilding, yards; another is appointed to be captain of a steamer. She will be the first woman to command a ship of the Black

> The £20,000 worth of American railway bonds found by a girl cinema attendant in a Cheltenham picture house have been claimed. 'A clerk in a local business house visited Cheltenham Police Station and said, although he was not the actual owner. he had them in his possession and dropped them while visiting the "Let who will make the laws pictures.

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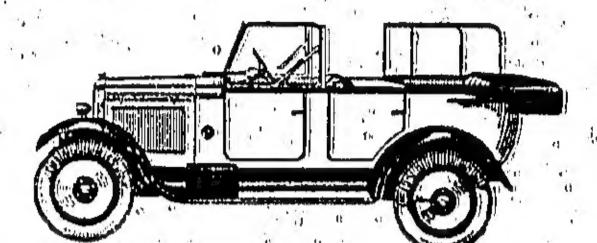
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The Earl of Craven, for whom a deportation warrant was issued in Washington, in connection with the immigration trouble.

EARL OF CRAVEN AS

Dr. S. W. Eveson is appointed to officiate as "Health Officer, Malacca, with effect from March

Colonel Russell Brown leaves the Colony to-morrow for Peking. This will mean his withdrawa. from the tennis tournament.

Lady Gregory, who was one of the founders of the Abbey Theatre, is writing her reminiscences. Two new plays by her are to be pub up a course of medical studies. lished shortly. Lady Gregory's "Hyacinth Halvey" was one of the plays performed at the recent celebration of the coming of fige of the Abbey Theatre.

strongly opposed to Mrs. Conrad's Baroness Clifton is not the only book about her distinguished society girl "to take up the law, husband, which is regarded as too The Hon. Sylvia Moulton, the 23intimate and too trivial and not years-old daughter of the late calcuated to do Mr. Conrad's re- Lord Moulton, the famous judge, putation any good. Among other has taken her law degree at things, Mrs. Conrad told how her Cambridge, and has even eaten husband would monopolise the her dinners at the Temple, though

There is to be another attempt | Still another Hamlet, this time to show that Shakespeare derived an Italian version of the great from factors other than rustic and English classic, will be seen this common. The Cambridge Univer- season in London where John sity Press will publish "A Chapter | Barrymore's interpretation and the in the Early Life of Shakespeare," plus four rendition already have by Arthur Gray, in which the au- been applauded. Ruggero Rugthor will endeavour to show that geri, one of the best actors Shakespeare did not spend all his Italy, will give "Amioto" at the St. youth at Stratford, but passed part James Theatre and later at Oxford, of it at Polesworth, Warwickshire, Cambridge, Edinburgh, and Glasa literary resort of the period. ... gow.

Claiming to be the tallest people in England, My, and Mrs. L. G. Murray are starting from Plymouth on as two years' eyeling tour of the world. Mrs. Henry Allhusen is the

denor of 24,000 for a National Home of Health as headquarters of the New Health Society, as a memorial to her husband and childrent

Sight has been given to three sisters and their brother, all born blind and all grown up, by Dr. C. M. Hawes, of the Hawes-Marple Hospital at Huntington, West Virginia.

Students of the Labour College protest against the project to convert Easton Lodge, the gift of the Countess of Warwick, into a Labour University, and suggest a convalescent home.

Tolstoy's centenary falls in 1928 and the Bolshevik authorities in Moscow are preparing a complete and uncensored edition of his works in twenty volumes. million copies will be printed.

The Beverly Hills estate Douglas Fairbanks and Mary Pickford is to be sold. They plan to build a Spanish hacienda farther back in the hills. The couple will leave soon on a tour of Europe.

Ewell (Surrey) Congregational Church, which has celebrated its diamond jubilee, was originally started in 1825 by an Ewell servant girl, Mary Wallis, who built small-chapel out of her savings.

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AGREEMENT TO FIGHT

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LATEST DETAILS.

(Reuter's Service.)

Fort Worth (Texas), April 21.

WILL THEY MEET?

Tex Rickard

Jack Dempsey.

GENE TUNNEY

agree to fight.

Whyte-Smith (4 down).

Three leading lights in the

boxing world who are referred

to in a cable to-day, indicating

that Jack. Dempsey may at last

FANLING GOLF.

Jack Dempsey has signed an

a length between second

HOME SOCCER.

LATEST LEAGUE RESULTS AND TABLES.

MURSHER GAMES,

(Router's Service.)

Randon, April 21. Lengue footbalk mutches played bo-day thome beam given firsty re-

Division•1. Manchester United 5, Sunderland 1 Division III.

Notis Porest 4, Butl 00 Division III (South). Southend 2; Brighton 3; Swindon by Walford 35 Bournemouth 2; Norwich 2; Division DI (North).

Crewe O. Southport F.

The repective tables now stand;

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

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HOME SPORT DATES.

Manchester City v. Bolton pool was divided by Mr. A. H. C.M.C. (G.O.C. the Forces in Wanderers, at Wembley, April 24. Ferguson (handicap 2) and Mr. China); presented the prizes to at Newmarket, April 28; One who each returned a card of I up Soldiers' Club billiards cup com- winners of the competition, and Thousand Guineas at Newmarket, on the "colonel."

ships at Albert Hall, April 28.

HOME TURF. H.K.C.C.

CITY AND SUBURBAN TEAMS: SELECTED: FOR RESULT.

THE TENNIS LEAGUE, BUG, RACE AT UFSOME

(Reuter's Service.) sent the Hongkong Cuicket Club The City and Siburban 61%

miles, rum het Epsom to-day) re-U.S.R.C. ground: '-Brearley, A. B. Raworthe, G. W. · Warden of the Marches, Sewell, B. D. Lawrence; G. Miskin Sparus and E. Grimble. Nalden

"B" team versus U.S.R.C. "B leam on H.K.C.C. ground:-W. A. Nowers, W. M. Lyons; H. Bloxham, E. J. R. Mitchell against Sparus, 100 15 against Cricket Club on H.K.C.C. ground: have a perfectly impartial Comteam versus Kowloon A. C. Howell, G. Rankin; W. L.

Smith, and M. M. Watson. SOCCER FINAL. KOWLOON'S RECORD IN

THE SHIELD.

WIN IN EXTRA TIME:

In a match full of incidents. the Kowloon Football Club played up to tradition yesterday when they won the Hongkong F. A. Challenge Shield (senior division) for the third time in four years, defeating the 1/East Surrey Re. giment by the odd goull in five, uster extra time.

The teams which turned out before a crowded stand were:-Kowloon F. C.: - Avery, Wheeler, Read; Turner, Caveille, McKelvie; G. Duncan, Spary, Sims, Hayes, K. A. Mason,

1/East Survey Regiment:-Cooper, Douglas: Jordan; McGrenvy, Mitchell, Bristowe; Chailesworth. Cheeseman, Humberstone; Butler, Macklesworth. inen: Messis. Smith and Morfett. May distributed the senior and Council, and it had culminated in on its tour, which is un junior trophies (shields to wint a definite resolution calling for official. Those participating it ners' cups to runners-up). Final- a system of rotation ists" medals will be presented . He had no doubt at all that the luter, on arrival from Home.

Sensational Start. Muson gave Kowloon the lead; this importance, and naturally he Duncan shot high and Douglas would not like go to the Commisdropped the ball at Mason's foot, sion unless he was satisfied that and the latter scored.

Humberstone beat Avery, but his colleagues as well as his own. the point was disallowed, as the whistle had gone for an infringement, this being about a minute after the opening goal.

Then the Surreys equalised as Humberstone found the mark again, thanks to a header from Butler.

After a corner against Kowloon, Duncan passed to Hayes who obtained Kowloon's second goal. A penalty was given against Caveille. Cooper took the spot kick and the score became two-

Excitement came after the interval. Caveille was again penalised. Cooper was again deputed to take the shot. banged against the cross-bar; the ball rebounded to him and kicked it over the bar. The refleree pulled him up for playing of the Council. Although he would the ball twice and play continued. Ith many ways desire that his hands Kowloon also had a "goal" disallowed, as Hayes beat Douglas,

but he was ruled offside. Rain was now falling and the phlayers found it hard to keep their feet, or the ball under

control. Full time arived with the teams standing level. In the first ten minutes of extra time, Mason shot high and Douglas failed to hold the slippery ball, which dropped over and gave Kowloon the match. The Surreys exerted pressure but got no further than a few corners. There were exciting moments, but Kowloon kept the soldiers out. . In running out, Avery once deflected the ball towards his own charge but McKelvie, who was "covering" up" kicked it away.

Under the conditions prevailing, it was a worthy final to the competition.

ARMY BILLIARDS.

SOLDIERS' CLUB, LAST NIGHT.

Sgt. Johnson, R.A.S.C., defeated Lieut. F. N. Young, H.K.V.D.C., in an exhibition billiards match (400 up) by 80 points, at the Soldiers' Club last evening. At the conclusion of the match,

Major Drake, 1/East Surrey Regiment (President of the Garrison Recreation Club), in the absence At Fanling last week-end, the through an attack of influenza of Royal Hongkong Golf Club bogey Major-General C. C. Luard, C.B., to 83, a majority of 21. Racing: Two Thousand Guineas F. A. Redmond (handicap 10), the winners and runners up in the Next best were Mr. C. Bulmer the Army football players, 1925-26. trophy. The Prison staff were pre- have died. Boxing: A. B. A. Champion- Johnson (I down) and Mr. T. S. The Royal Engineers billiards sented with a replica cup us

LEAGUE COUNCIL.

LORD CECIL'S IMPORTANT DECLARATION.

DEFINITE INSTRUCTIONS:

(British Wireless Service.) SATURDAY.

Viscount Coeff, who will repre-The following teams will repre- mission of the League of Nations | Pei-fu in the "Times" says if they Saturday, 24th instant, at stitution of the Lengue Council, Bolshevik policy, that would be a "A" team versus U.S.R.C., on points raised, in connection with powerful military chiefs in China,

and Lord Parmoor, Viscount Cecil agreed that the other matters. Commission appointed by the League was not entirely an impartial one, being composed large. by of representatives of the nations. who were most hotly engaged at L. M. S. Lloyd, and N. L. Railton, the meeting last March. It would

> Mistaken Idea. It was a mistake to imagine that. the necessity for such a Commission arose only out of the recent



Viscount Cecil.

difficulties at Geneva. There had been a very strong feeling for Referee: Mr. Atkinsome Lines- | venus in the League Assembly in negard to the method of constitut- the subjects that will en At the conclusion Mr. G. T. ing permanent members of the

representative definite instructions. and Leningrad will be visited. Within a minute of the start That was evident in a matter of he was representing the views of Government's Policy:

The instructions given to Sh Austen Chamberlain when he went to Geneva seemed to answer many of the points raised. The Government had then laid it down that no change in the Council could be permitted which would have the effect of preventing or delaying the entry of Germany. That was still the policy of the Government. The Government also maintained the principle that only the great Powers should be permanent mem-

hers of the Council, Room for Free Discussion. Otherwise the British representa-He lives would go to the Commission free from any declaration made in the past on behalf of this country with reference to the membership should be tied when he went to Geneva, there must be room for free discussion.

INVITATION OF RULER OF

HEDJAZ. (Reuter's Service.)

" Delhi, April 21. After prolonged discussion, the Central Khalifat Committee has decided to accept the invitation of

Ibnaud, ruler of Hedjaz, to attend

the World Moslem Conference at

The Indian delegation will be headed by Said Suleiman Naivdi and will include the All brothers. The Committee discussed the recent Calcutta riots and general relations with Hindus, and it proposes to confer soon with Hindu leaders, but if an amicable settle-

ment cannot be reached, the Com-

mittee proposes to haunch a pro-

gramme of self-defence of Moslems. ITALY'S DEBT. RATIFIED BY AMERICAN

(Reuter's American Service.)

Washington, April 21. The Senate has ratified the Italian debt settlement by 54 votes

feam received the silver cup as the runners-up.

SUPER TUCHUNS.

STRONG BOND

(Reuter's Service.)

A landen devoted to "Supe sent Great Britain on the Com- Tuchuns" Chang Tho-lin and Wy which will study the future con- lagreed upon a common antireplied in the House, of Lords to strong bond between the two most this matter by Lord Charawood and might go far to avert or defer acute differences between them or

TOUR OF RUSSIA.

BRITISH MISSION QUITE UNOFFICIAL.

DEFINITE STATEMENT.

(British Winsless Service.)

" Rugby, April 21. With reference to the party of four Conservative members: of Parliament now visiting Russia Sir Austen Chamberlain, Secre vary of State for Foreign Affairs stated in the House of Common that the party bore no official or semi-official character.

It was entrusted by the Govern ment with no official mission. was in no sense an official delega tion, and none of its members ha been charged with any diplomatic or other inquiries by the Foreign Office. o.

[A British wireless messag published on Monday stated: Fo the first time since the Russia Revolution a party of Conserva blive Members of Parliament—Si Frank Nelson (Stroud), Mr Robert J. A. Boothby (Eas Aberdeenshire) Captain R. C Bourne . (Oxford City) an Colonel Sir N. J. Moore (Rich mondi)—is paying a visit to Russia. Agriculture, grain, coa oil. and education are amongage the party's attention the tour hope that relations with Russia will be improved as a resul Government would give him as its of their inquiry. Moscow, Baku

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ON HOLIDAY.

PRINCE OF WALES ARRIVES AT PAU.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, April 21. H.R.H. the Prince of Wales has eft Biarritz and arrived at Pau, the health resort in the Basses Pyrenees in France, which is noted for its fine 14th century |- on Jaloutte-

NAVAL DISASTER. SUBMARINE EXPLOSION ENQUIRY.

(Reuter's American Service.)

New York, April 21. Bar Mirer in Houskong 51 % pm. Chinese Copper Cash ... 10 % pm. Thinere Copper Conto ... 6 % pm Rate of Matrixe Interest 7 % p.s. A message from New London petition, and also Army bodges to also a small souvenir replica of the says that two of the injured sailors A Navul Board is to investigate Chinese Sub. Coin ... 29 % die.

the causes of the disaster.

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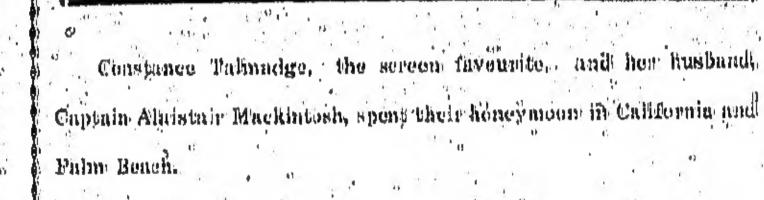
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Captain Orville Clampitt, the United States Army chaplain, who was tried by court martial at San Francisco, charged with having lived with Miss Lucille Swallow at the Leavenworth, barracks. The captain is married and has two children:





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The Maharaja of Indore, who was involved in the scandal following the murder of a. Bombay merchant, (who befriended a former duncing girl of his court), Sorge Koussevitzky, the famous' orchestra leader, was awarded a degree as doctor of music by Boston University. Malcolm Smith, a member of the Wilkins Polar expedition, was in Alaska trying out new motor sleds that will haul supplies for the expedition. Leonard Harthill, a Near East relief worker. was descrated for distingushed service in Armenia.



Miss Lucille Swallow, a Kansas City teacher, was the chief witness. at an Army court martial at San Francisco where Captain Orville Clampitt, a U.S. Army chaplain, was tried on a charge of living with the girl at Leavenworth barracks. The Captain has a wife and two children.



The Statut of Liberty, in New York Harbour, will be telling time if a wrist-watch manufacturer has his. way. He has asked permission to: place an illuminated wrist-watch on the lady's right arm. It was to have been three feet in diameter.



JULIUS HOCKMAN.





JOHN G HIBBEN. WE

Dr. Randall J. Condon, superintendent of schools at Cincinnatti, was elected president of the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association. Julius Hockman, international vicepresident of the Garment Workers of America, directed the strike of 4,000 workers at Boston. George K. Cherrie, the famous explorer and naturalist who directed the Field Museum expedition into India, of which the Roosevelt brothers were members; has returned to America President John G. Hibben, of Frinceton, has urged parents of students to co-operate with him in his stand against the use of automobiles at the school.

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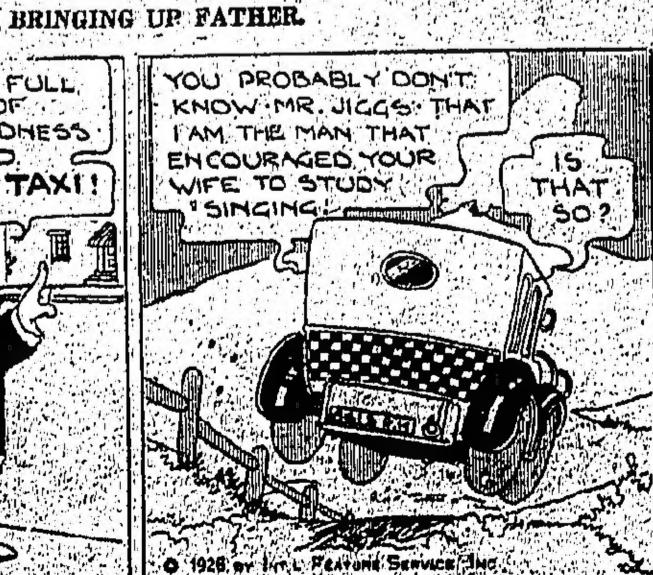
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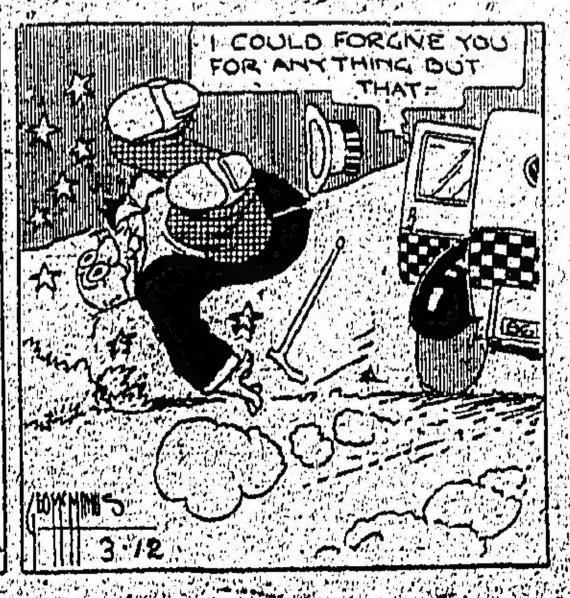
Decining the attentions of Walter B. Mayer, because she said he

was her inferior, Shirley McIntyre, of Brooklyn, was shot and killed

by Mayer who then attempted to commit suicide. Both worked in

the same bank and Miss McIntyre received a higher salary than her





COURT OF EQUITY.

LORD OLIVIER'S IMPERIAL.

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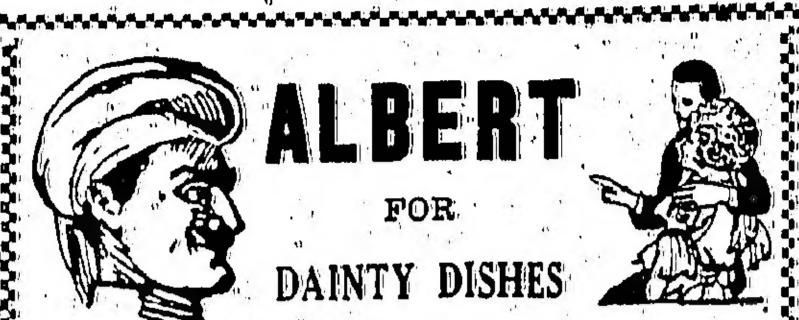
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Paris, April 1. " Thorough precautions aken to prevent curious sightseers from witnessing the departure of the convict ship iniere" which is conveying. Devil's Island 340 criminals, to- analogous to the International gether with a further 240, who Court of the League, to take cog-

will be picked up at Tangier. Nevertheless, the newspapers Dominions, if against the rights of print painful details of fron cages the subjects of any other. lin which the convicts are housed on board and the drastic measures taken to prevent trouble on the for such a Court authorised

At the moment of departure the Police ejected cinematographers ceedings in the Areas Regulation from the roof of a house. from Bill ought in decency to be suswhich they were filming the tugs pended until the Conference taking out the convicts to the meets in October, and that the "Martiniere."

Subsequently w sailing vessel ate to the South African Governapproached the ship, and the ment that, in view of special authorities detected one it the responsibility to India, it will ad-Cinematographers whom they had vise the King to disallow the Bill previously ejected. Thereupon a lifeguacted without the appending motorboat was despatched to ar- clause. and a second of the latter. with the aid of "w wide stretch of rainvas undea strong wind, eluded pursuit.—"Times of Ceylon."

U.S. SCARE.

REPORTED CONCESSIONS BY MENICO TO JAPAN.

.. Tokyo, March 30.

Regarding the United States scirre of reported concessions by Mexico to the Japanese of Magdalena Bay, the Spokesman in the Diet declares that Tokyo line no information on the subject.

He adds that Japan is not seeking concessions in Mexico, and if the Magdalena, Bay report is correct it probably refers to the Californian Japanese who are seeking a home in Mexico because of the anti-Japanese feeling in California.

The official reference to Maydalena Bay contains a pious insimuation that the Japanese are seeking a possible naval base.

INDIAN DACOITS.

RUNNING FIGHT WITH POLICE FOR EIGHT MILES.

Calcutta, March 31. Several notorious dacoit leaders of the Kenni Kalukchaill Police Station area, who have been rensible for several dagoities in the Maubin, Insein and Harthawaddy districts around Kattiya. and for whose capture rewards were offered, have been captured in exciting circumstances. The men were captured after a running fight for some eight miles with two Sub-Inspectors of Police. Itwo constables and some villagers. during which there was an exchange of shots:

Miss Lya De Putti, a beautiful Hangarian actress, went to New York to sign a movie contract. She has been staired in German films for

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FATE OF "TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

London, March 31. The London "Times" Correspon-I dent in Constantinople has been the betrothal will shortly expelled by the Commissar of announced between the Italian National Defence, who alleges Crown Prince Prince Humbertthat he is sending false news and Princess Marie Jose, daughter calculated to arouse suspicion as of the King and Queen of Belgium. to the tranquillity of the country. -"Times of Ceylon."

FIGHTING LEPROSY

GOOD PROGRESS IN WEST AFRICA.

London, March 29. London, March 29. "At a meeting of the Executive Lord Olivier writing on South of the Empire Leprosy Relief African, anti-Indian' legislation in Association, Mr. Oldrieve report-Thursday's issue of "Foreign ed that during the three months' Affnirs." suggests the constitution West African four, which had just of an Imperial Court of Equity concluded, he had had every encouragement from the Governors of Nigeria, Gold Coast and Sierra nisance of complaints between Leone, each of which Colonies was following the example of India in.

forming local branches. He submitted to the Nigerian Government a memorandum mak ing suggestions on the campaign to rid Nigeria of leprosy within a ganeration, though the incidence in North Nigeria was 3.2 per thousand of the population, which was ten times that of recorded Indiana

HOME BY-ELECTION.

LIBERAL " CANDIDATE

London, March 28, The Labour svictory at the Bothwell by-election is ascribed to the strong feeling against reduction in the miners' wages suggested by the Coal Commission's report, as the constituency is a mining one.

The blberal candidate forfeited his deposit.

The big drop in the Consorvative poll is attributed to many Conservatives abstaining owing to Labour's strength.

The new member, Mr. Sullivan. once sat for North Lannykshire where he was beaten at the last election by a Conservative. Col

PRICE OF PETROL.

ANGLO-PERSIAN OIL CO.'S CHARGES.

London, March 29. Mr. Tom Williams (Labour). asked whether the Government. as large holders of capital in the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, approved the increase of a penny per gallion in the price of petrol; sold by the Company. McNeill' replied: estated in reply to a supplementary question, that there was no Government interference with the commercial management of the Company.

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BELGIAN PRINCESS AND ITALIAN CROWN PRINCE.

Rome, March 29. The "Central News" states that

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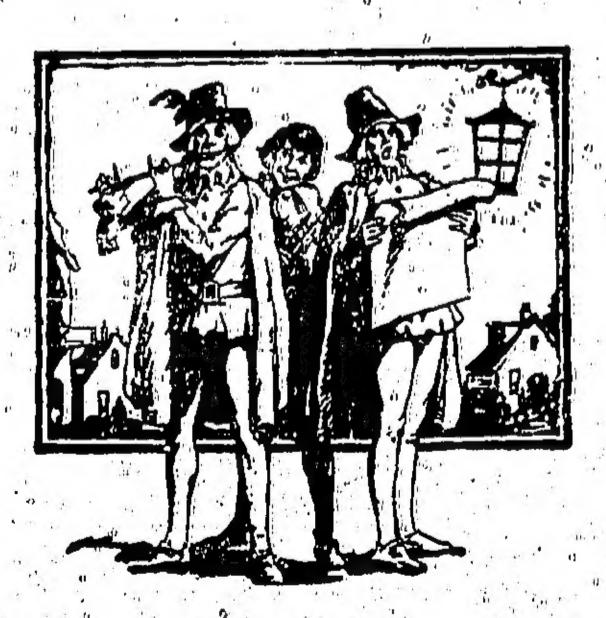
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